WEATHER FORECASTS

The barometer remains high on the Pacific Slope and fine, mild weather has been general over this Province. Lower temperatures are reported in Saskatchewan and Manitoba.

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CLOSURE TO CUT SHORT LONG OTTAWA DEBATE

British Foreign Chief Appeals for Free Hand In League Controversy

Two Hundred Members of Parliament of All Parties Hear Sir Austen Chamberlain Plead for Blank Cheque at Coming Geneva Conference—Cabinet Will Decide Government's Course

Minister Reaffirms Previous Position In Favor of Enlargement of Council

LONDON, March 1.—The event of the day in the League crisis was Sir Austen Chamberlain's appeal delivered to about 200 members of Parliament of all parties. In effect, the speech of the British Foreign Secretary was a plea for a free hand as a delegate to the Geneva meeting, and the question the Cabinet will have to decide at Wednesday's council is whether he shall be given that blank cheque or whether he shall have more or less definite instructions.

Judging from today's speech, Sir Austen has not receded from his previous position in favor of some enlargement of the council of the League of Nations.

French Understanding Denied

Although he denied taking any decision in conference with M. Briand, the French Premier, at the end of January, he refrained from any detail that an understanding may have been reached at the Locarno meeting itself, without Germany's knowledge, for enlargement of the council concurrently with Germany's entry, which is one of the charges made against him here.

The Foreign Minister stands for the personal touch in negotiation and for Locarno methods of "persuasion." At the beginning of his speech he appealed for secrecy, and invited those members who did not want to treat it as confidential to withdraw, which a few did.

Coolly Received

His speech had a somewhat cold reception and Premier Baldwin's statement later in the week is anxiously awaited to throw further light on the question. Although there is not believed to be any question of a cabinet crisis it is known that there are differences of opinion among the ministers as to how far Sir Austen should be supported in his present attitude.

The Home Secretary, Sir William Joynson-Hicks, in a speech tonight gave a flat denial to rumors of a cabinet crisis, and he further asserted to give Sir Austen Chamberlain definite instructions would be absurd.

Differ on Methods, Not Policy

Sir Austen spoke for an hour. According to the version of his speech authorized by Sir Austen to be issued to the press, he explained that the differences which existed over the League council were differences not of principle, but of method, whereby ends common to all supporters of the League were to be attained.

He appealed for some latitude for the man who must conduct the negotiations, and who by the nature of his office was in closer touch with all the governments concerned than men outside the cabinet could be. It was out of the question for him as a member of the League council to adopt the attitude of a dictator. If he was to obtain the adoption of the course he believed to be best he must obtain it by persuasion.

He said there was no question of the proposal being sprung upon the world. Moreover, there was real cause for consideration of the composition of the council. The demand that the practice of re-election of non-permanent members year after year should be abandoned was growing.

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Newly-Chosen Leader Of Entire Royal Navy

SIR S. A. GOUGH-CALTHORPE
Who Is the New Admiral of the Entire British Fleet.

From the Colonist Tower

Tuesday, March 2

61st Day, 1926

THE WEATHER

Victoria and Vicinity: Light to moderate winds, partly cloudy and mild at night.

Sun Rises: 6:53 o'clock.
Sun Sets: 5:58 o'clock.

High Tide: 5:18 a.m., 7.9 feet.
Low Tide: 10:56 p.m., 4.6 feet.

Sport

Hockey results: Victoria 2, Vancouver 1. Saskatoon 7, Portland 0.
Championship basketball: U.P.B. 33, C.P.S. 30.

The News

Local and Provincial—
Sir Henry Lunn, now on his way to Victoria, will give his wealth, totalling millions, for betterment of mankind.
Esquimalt Council does not see its way to grant request of military authorities for better fire protection at Work Point Barracks.
Industrial reorganizations promise activity in Island's major industries.
Western mayors form development league at Vancouver conference.
Dominion, Imperial and Foreign—
Government to use closure to end Ottawa debate.
British Foreign Minister appeals for free hand in League controversy.
Miner wins millions in successful suit against smelting companies.
Fire makes three thousand homeless in Arkansas city.

WORK POINT ASKS BETTER FIRE FORCE

REQUEST IS MADE THAT CITY DEPARTMENT BE UTILIZED IF REQUIRED

Esquimalt Will Inform Department of Defence That It Must Make Own Arrangements

The various charges for which the Municipality of Esquimalt is made responsible through the presence of the headquarters of the naval and the military forces being within the bounds of that district has come to be regarded as a serious one by the Council.

It is argued that no revenues are derived from the lands held by the Government in these connections, but the educational facilities have to be provided for the children, hospital per capita fees have to be paid on the basis of all those who go from the naval or military forces to the hospitals in the city, and in addition there are certain other obligations made, such as that for the public library.

There has been a feeling that the Department of Defence in these matters should bear the costs, and not leave it to the municipality. The subject came up at Council last night in the form of a request for better fire protection at Work Point Barracks.

Wants Fire Protection

The military authorities communicated with the Council asking if some arrangement could not be made by the municipality to which the Victoria Fire Department might be called in to cope with a fire should it occur there.

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LAYMAN GIVES HIS WEALTH TO CAUSE

Sir Henry Lunn, en Route to Victoria, Displays Act of Abnegation—Story of Renunciation

Sir Henry Lunn, prominent layman in England, who amassed a fortune after retiring as a medical missionary in India, has put into practice his belief that surplus wealth acquired by big business men should be devoted to the betterment of mankind. Sir Henry Lunn is now on his way to the Coast and will speak in Victoria shortly. The World Alliance for International Friendship Through the Churches announced on Sunday in New York that he had turned over most of his vast properties to trustees who will administer the revenue for religious and social work, including international peace.

The exact value of the properties was not given, but the announcement said they totalled millions. They include the enterprises conducted by Sir Henry Lunn, Ltd., of London. This firm operates a tourist business and owns or controls many large hotels in Switzerland and other parts of Europe. He will retain only $2,500 a year.

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City Will Urge Discontinuance Of Meter Charge

MAYOR Pendray, Ald. Harvey, chairman of the electric light committee, and City Electrician Hutchinson were appointed a special committee by the City Council last night to approach the B.C. Electric Railway Company and urge that concern to abolish the monthly meter rent of twenty cents charged all consumers of electric light in the city.

The Council adopted a recommendation of the electric light committee favoring the abolition of this meter rent charge, and hoped that its discontinuance will shortly result.

DESERT ROVER WINS MILLIONS

Miner Is Victor in Nine-Years' Legal Fight Against Smelting Company—Infringement Upon Patent Found

ALL COURTS SUSTAIN PROSPECTOR'S STAND

Mountain Wanderer to Get Approximately $20,000,000 Copper Smelting Process Used Without Permission

SAN FRANCISCO, March 1.—George Campbell Carson, cooper, miner and desert wanderer, who has looked up at the stars many nights from a bed of sand for want of a better couch, was placed in a position by the United States Circuit Court here today to receive a fortune of millions of dollars from the American Smelting & Refining Company for alleged infringement upon a patent.

Every court into which the miner has brought his case has sustained him, the last including the United States Supreme Court.

Long Litigation Ends

The company sought to try the case all over again on new grounds, but the Circuit Court said today that the book of Carson's legal troubles was closed and that he should be given his due.

The case concerned improvements and refinements in the side charging of reverberatory furnaces used for smelting copper ore. The patented process greatly facilitated the work.

The smelting companies adopted the process, Carson contended, without giving himself and his patent credit. He demanded satisfaction. They told him that they were using a process patented in Dollar Bay, Mich., to which they had a right.

Fights Nine Years

Carson carried on the fight for nine years without weapons or resources to begin with, other than a native simplicity of speech and manner and a few blueprints and etchings.

Carson, with a possible $20,000,000 coming to him and his associates, can now get the perfect laboratory tools and retorts that he needs in his work. It is something that he has always wanted, he said, but he had to go ahead with the tools that others had thrown away, broken and worn out.

DR. TOLMIE VISITS BY-ELECTION SCENE

VICTORIA MEMBER GOES TO REGINA TO CONFER WITH CONSERVATIVES

Still Undecided Whether Party Will Put Up Man Against Hon. Mr. Dunning

REGINA, March 1.—Dr. S. F. Tolmie, Conservative member for Victoria and Dominion organizer for his party, arrived here today to confer with local Conservative leaders on the coming Regina by-election.

Whether the Conservatives will put up a candidate against Hon. C. A. Dunning, new Federal Minister of Railways, was expected to be decided tonight, but at a late hour no official statement had been issued by the association's executive.

WINNIPEG, March 1.—With Conservative headquarters at Ottawa will rest the final decision whether a candidate is to be nominated in opposition to Hon. Charles A. Dunning, in the opinion of F. N. Darke, who resigned his seat in Regina to make way for the new Minister of Railways.

His own information, Mr. Darke said here today, was that Regina Conservatives were not anxious for a contest, but that they would no doubt be influenced by the desires of headquarters.

Woman Dies at 101

SANTA ROSA, Cal., March 1.—Mrs. P. C. Reynolds, 101, who was born in Essex County, Vermont, in 1824, and came to California in 1854, died here today. She outlived five husbands.

MAYORS FORM UNITY LEAGUE

Western Civic Leaders Complete Organization of Development Body — Final Touches Put to Scheme

VANCOUVER CHIEFTAIN APPOINTED PRESIDENT

Mr. Pendray on Executive — Cities From Saskatchewan to Coast Represented at Mainland Parley

VANCOUVER, March 1.—Formal organization of the Western Canada Development and Unity League, which had its origin in a meeting of mayors of western cities at Edmonton last year, was concluded at a new conference of the western mayors here today. Between thirty and forty mayors and reeves were here for the meeting.

Mayor L. D. Taylor, of Vancouver, was elected president; Mayor W. D. L. Hardie, of Lethbridge, vice-president, and George Fitch, of Vancouver, secretary.

The executive consists of Mayor J. A. Gregory, of North Battleford; Mayor J. C. Pendray, of Victoria, Mayor K. A. Blatchford, of Edmonton, Mayor S. M. Newton, of Prince Rupert, and Mayor Howard McLaren, of Biggar.

The date and place of the next meeting has been left to the executive.

Grain Men Talk

At this afternoon's session Commissioner James Robinson, of the Canadian grain board, explained away misconceptions as to the workings of the grain board.

A declaration of policy on behalf of the Vancouver harbor board expressed the view that the grain passing through the port must pay for shipping facilities. It was pointed out that other shipping interests of the port would oppose reductions, which would have to be off-set by levying higher rates on other commodities.

Mayor Taylor had previously urged reduction of harbor dues and of rates for grain.

ONTARIO MINISTER OF LANDS RESIGNS

SENSATION SPRUNG IN LEGISLATURE—BUSINESS DEALS DEPOSE HON. JAMES LYONS

Supplies Sold by Cabinet Member's Firm to Organizations Doing Work for Government

TORONTO, March 1.—One of the biggest sensations in Ontario politics for some years was sprung in the Legislature this afternoon when Premier G. Howard Ferguson announced the resignation from his cabinet of Hon. James Lyons, Minister of Lands and Forests, and his acceptance of the resignation. The resignation was generally unexpected by most of the members of the House and by the general public.

The reason given for the resignation was that the firm of which Mr. Lyons is president had been trading with persons who had Government contracts. The Lyons Fuel and Supply Co., Ltd., Toronto, since Mr. Lyons became a minister of the Government in 1923, had sold supplies to organizations which were doing work for the Government.

The Premier said that there was nothing legally wrong in this and Mr. Lyons defended his attitude as being honest and proper, but Mr. Lyons felt that both he and the Government must be above the least suspicion. He, therefore, resigned his cabinet position but declared that he would remain a member for the present session at least.

FASCISTS AND REDS CLASH IN BRITAIN

Rival Demonstrations Staged in Hyde Park—"Red Flag" Jostles National Anthem

LONDON, March 1.—Fascists and Socialists noisily clashed in Hyde Park yesterday. They held meetings simultaneously near each other and the Fascists concluded their meeting by singing the national anthem, while the Socialists countered by singing the "Red Flag." The clash, however, did not result seriously.

When two policemen in plain clothes showed that they meant business by arresting a man and a woman in the crowd they received nothing more harmful than jeers.

Man Hurt, Land Flooded When Reservoir Breaks

HALIFAX, N.S., March 1.—One man was injured, much damage caused and acres of land inundated when a reservoir containing 2,500,000 gallons of water burst without warning at Imperoyal, near here, yesterday. The tank was constructed of half-inch steel plate and no explanation of the collapse was offered by officials.

Saskatchewan Liberals' Choice as New Premier

HON. J. G. GARDINER
Who last week was selected Premier of Saskatchewan at a party rally at Regina. Formerly Minister of Highways in the Government of the Prairie Province, he succeeds Hon. C. A. Dunning, who has entered the Dominion Government as Minister of Railways and Canals.

NEW U.S. GUN CALLED WONDER

"Secret" of American Navy "Revealed" in Newly-Published Statistics, Says London Newspaper

ANTI-PLANE WEAPON SHOOTS FIVE MILES

Equipment of Ships With Bigger Batteries Well Known, Says Washington—Discussed Openly in Congress

LONDON, March 1.—Something of a sensation was made tonight in The Evening News of a statement contained in the official catalogue of the world's navies issued today, that five American battleships are fitted with five-inch anti-aircraft guns, which The News characterized as the most powerful guns of their type afloat.

The paper summarized the story in a big caption reading "The United States navy's new anti-aircraft gun." A gun that can attack a plane six mile up. A secret of U.S. battleships revealed." A quick change.

Eight Per Vessel

The News said these guns were installed very quietly. The official report said the number of the guns is not known, but the newspaper stated it understood on high authority that each ship will carry eight.

The other evening newspapers here merely published the naval statistics without commenting, except to call attention to the figures showing that the United States possesses nineteen more naval vessels than Great Britain.

Old News, Says Washington

WASHINGTON, March 1.—Replacement of the three-inch anti-aircraft batteries on American battleships with five-inch weapons was adopted as a policy more than three years ago and has been discussed in Congress and elsewhere with no restriction on publication.

The long range five inch guns have already been installed aboard the battleship West Virginia and the equipment of others have been completed to put aboard the battleships Maryland and Colorado and the aircraft carriers Lexington and Saratoga now nearing completion.

An Old Policy

Each ship will carry eight of the five-inch guns, and it is planned that these batteries will have the necessary equipment for fire control.

The policy of installing the five-inch weapon was adopted even before the modernization programme for the fleet had been approved. All the battleships ultimately will be equipped with them.

U.S. NEGRO DIES AT AGE OF 126

TOPEKA, Kas., March 1.—The death of a negro at the age of 126 years was registered today by the state board of health. A report of the death that of Henry Bruce, who had lived on a Wyandotte County farm, was received several days ago, but the registrar of vital statistics verified the age before entering it in the permanent records.

January Immigration Figures Show Increase

OTTAWA, March 1.—Immigration to Canada in the month of January amounted to 2,324, according to a statement just made public by the Department of Immigration and Colonization. This is the low point of the fiscal year, as is usually expected in January, but shows an increase of 317 over January a year ago. The sources of immigration in January were: British, 368, United States, 893, other countries, 1,067.

GOVERNMENT TO WIELD BIG STICK ON HOUSE; ADJOURNS TOMORROW

Motion Restricting Discussion to Be Introduced First Thing Today—If Carried, Speeches Will Be Limited and Will End at 2 A.M. Wednesday—Recess to Follow Automatically

Members Enthusiastically Pound Desks As Administration Makes Announcement

OTTAWA, March 1.—Hon. Ernest Lapointe, acting Government leader, gave notice of closure in the House of Commons tonight. Tomorrow, when the orders of the day are called, Mr. Lapointe will formally move:

"That the present debate, namely, the debate on the proposed motion of Mr. Elliott for an address to His Excellency the Governor-General in answer to his speech at the opening of the session, and the proposed motion of Mr. Bird that 'the question be now put,' shall not be further adjourned."

Fire Makes 3,000 Persons Homeless In Arkansas City

NEWPORT, Ark., March 1.—Approximately twenty blocks of dwellings were laid waste, several manufacturing plants were destroyed and upwards of 3,000 persons made homeless today by a fire which, driven by a high wind, swept through the residential section of Newport.

MANY ACTIVITIES PROMISE ADVANCES

NEW CAPITAL FLOWING INTO INDUSTRIES OF ISLAND ASSURES BETTER TIMES

Several Fishing and Lumbering Interests Reorganized for Development in Current Year

A period of active industrial development for the chief industries of Vancouver Island is foreshadowed by the recent numerous financial adjustments and reorganization efforts, as a consequence of which several hundred men additional will probably be employed in industry on the Island, as compared with the year 1925.

The forest industry, as the largest active production, has been the chief attraction of financial interests recently.

Reorganization

The British Columbia Pulp and Paper Company, in the purchase of the Whalen Pulp and Paper Company, comes into control of the Port Alberni plant at Quatsino Sound. Mr. Lawrence Killam has taken over the control. It is expected that the number of persons employed will show development, as soon as the company's plans have an opportunity to expand.

The Canadian Forest Products Limited, the new company to control Beaver Cove, is backed with international harvester money. This company has acquired valuable timber, waterpower sites and pulpwood properties. The extensive Canadian holdings of the White Brothers Lumber Company and the Beaver Cove Lumber, Pulp and Paper Company were also merged, conveyed to the consolidated and reorganized company.

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ULSTER FORGETS PAST, WELCOMES CHANCELLOR

Mr. Winston Churchill, Mobbed on Last Visit, Cordially Received at Belfast

BELFAST, March 1.—Hon. Winston Churchill, Chancellor of the Exchequer, arrived in Belfast today for a three days' visit. He was given an official reception as an honored guest in the city in which fourteen years ago when he made his last appearance, he was mobbed by angry Unionists because of his advocacy of Home Rule for Ireland.

Today Mr. Churchill was warmly welcomed. On the previous occasion he was smuggled from the city to avoid further trouble.

During their present visit Mr. and Mrs. Churchill are the guests of Premier Sir James and Lady Craig.

Let Youth Have Its Fun, Says Prairie Centenarian

WINNIPEG, March 1.—"Let youth have its fun," was the sage advice of W. F. Stevenson, Manitoba's oldest resident, who observed his 102nd birthday today. The centenarian who is still active and enjoys the use of all his faculties, has no receipt for old age, except hard work.

Flying to England

KARACHI, British India, March 1.—Flight-Lieutenant Oliver and Flying Officer Brooks left here today in an attempt to fly to England. They hope to cover the long journey in five days.

Conservatives Pound Desks

As Mr. Lapointe gave notice of his motion Conservative members pounded their desks.

"I am glad to see," returned Mr. Lapointe, "that my honorable friend is welcoming this child with delight."

The closure motion, Mr. Lapointe will move tomorrow, is not debatable. But the House can be immediately divided on it. Then if closure is carried, speeches will be limited to twenty minutes each and the debate will automatically finish at 2 o'clock on Wednesday morning.

Automatic Adjournment

At that hour the House will dispose first on the Bird motion for the previous question and then on adoption of the address. After the last division the House will automatically adjourn until March 15.

With the exception of a few minutes at the opening Conservatives today continued debate on the address through the entire afternoon and evening. Topics range from coal supply to the Bonyn railway.

I. D. Macdougall, Conservative, Inverness, N.S., predicted that American anthracite would in ten years be selling in Canada at from $25 to $30 a ton unless other sources of supply were developed.

Mr. Meighen Silent

OTTAWA, March 1.—Asked Hon. Arthur Meighen, Conservative leader, had no comment to make for publication on the introduction of closure by the Government.

Upon adjournment of the House Mr. Meighen held a conference with members of his party on the matter of the course of action which the Government had taken.

When notice of the introduction of closure was served in the House tonight by Hon. Ernest Lapointe, acting Government leader, it was received with applause from the Government benches. Several Conservative members, it was noticed, pounded their desks while others signed. From the Liberal benches in corridor some of the Government followers joined in popular songs of the war to their rooms.

ENGINEERS INVITE MR. KIPLING HERE

WOULD HAVE NOTED WRITER OPEN ALBERTA-BRITISH COLUMBIA HIGHWAY

Plans Being Laid by Institute for Ceremony at Big Tunnel Between Hope and Kamloops

CALGARY, March 1.—Rudyard Kipling will be invited to be the guest of the Engineering Institute of Canada and the Dominion this year when it will open the last link in the system of the all-Canadian auto route between Winnipeg and Vancouver, it was learned to an announcement made by Major H. A. Walkem, M.P.P., president of the Engineering Institute of Canada and president of the Association of Professional Engineers of British Columbia, who addressed the Calgary branch of the institute here today.

Plans are now being laid to have Mr. Kipling open the highway between Hope and Kamloops at the big tunnel. The institute has chosen the famous poet as the most suitable man for the function because of his position. A ritual of initiation for the occasion.

RIFF CHIEF RESUMES ATTACKS ON FRENCH

Moroccan Tribesmen Taking Initiative In Spring Fighting—Attempting to Penetrate Occupied Region

RABAT, March 1.—Abd-el-Krim, the Riffian leader, seems intent upon taking the initiative in the spring operations in the Moroccan protectorate zone.

Riffian troops are attempting to penetrate into the Methoua region, recently occupied by the French in an advance which menaces the Sefrou centre.

The French commanders are confident of withstanding the Riffian pressure.

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Cave-In Kills Miner

SEATTLE, March 1.—Ernest Boettcher, aged thirty-four, was killed today in a mine of the Pacific Coast Coal Company at Burnett. Indications were that his body was under a rock cave-in.

RELATIVES PUTTING EX-PRINCE TO ROUT

Carol Expected to Flee to England Before Members of Family Arrive in Paris

PARIS, March 1.—Former Crown Prince Carol of Rumania still keeps himself shut up in his apartment in his hotel at Paris, though it is said that he will proceed to London before the invasion of his relatives this week. In view of Carol's proposed trip to England the arrival of Mme. Zizi Lambrino, his former morganatic wife, is causing lively speculation as to the relations between the couple and whether she is among those from whom he is making his escape or intends to go to England with him.

WORK POINT ASKS BETTER FIRE FORCE

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The Esquimalt Council will not take any responsibility in the matter. If the barracks authorities feel there should be special protection they will be advised that they must make arrangements with that fire department direct.

When the letter was read Reeve Matheson said that he was not prepared to recommend action in the matter. The municipality could not well undertake responsibility for such protection.

Considerable Burden Carried

Councillor Anderson said he considered that the Municipality of Esquimalt was carrying a considerable burden on behalf of the military and naval services. Esquimalt was providing educational facilities for about sixty children from the barracks. He considered it would be wise for the department to be informed that no responsibility would be assumed by the municipality, and suggested that the Department of Defence might try and make its own arrangements with the City of Victoria as to fire protection.

Councillor Pomeroy, in seconding this motion, expressed similar views. It was a small municipality, and was being obliged to carry the department in several ways, including that of hospital per capita charges, which might be seventy cents. No revenues were derived by the municipality from the department. He felt that the Defence Department might well consider the situation and provide for meeting it itself. The motion carried.

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Brisket of Beef, per lb.	10c	Minced Beef, 2 lbs. for	25c
Pot Roasts of Beef, per lb., 12c and	10c	Pickled Pork, per lb.	22c

CHINESE EXCLUSION AGAIN DISCUSSED

ANIMATED MEETING HELD LAST NIGHT UNDER ORIENTAL EXCLUSION LEAGUE

Dr. Clem Davies in Chair—Mr. J. O. Cameron Presents Viewpoint of Lumber Industry

An animated discussion of the Oriental problem and a minimum wage took place at Temple Hall, North Park Street, last night. The meeting, held under the auspices of the Oriental Exclusion League, was presided over by Dr. Clem Davies, who, with Mr. Harry Langley, the secretary, presented the principal arguments bearing on exclusion; while the opposite side of the case was presented by Mr. J. O. Cameron, of the Cameron Lumber Company, whose stand was heartily endorsed by the Hon. T. G. Coventry, M.P.P. Concurrently the question of minimum wage was argued, being introduced by Mr. Frank Carlow, an officer of the league.

Resolutions bearing on each of these questions, and a third bearing on the Opium and Narcotic Drug Act, were passed by the meeting, before it adjourned at ten o'clock. A committee composed of Mr. Frank Carlow, chairman, and Messrs. W. D. Todd and H. Langley, was appointed to deal with the minimum wage recommendations and carry the same before the Eight-Hour Day Law board of adjustment which has just returned after investigating industrial conditions in Washington State.

Three Resolutions

The substance of the three resolutions passed by the meeting was as follows:

First—Concerning minimum wage (moved by Mr. Carlow), that the league go on record as favoring a minimum of not less than fifty cents per hour for an eight-hour day for all labor.

Second—That the league go on record as opposed to the employment of Orientals in hotels and restaurants, and extend their sympathy to the white men discharged from positions to make room for Orientals at lower wages.

Third—That Section 24 of the Opium and Narcotic Drug Act be deleted, and that the right of appeal be permitted as in other criminal cases. This resolution explained itself in a lengthy preamble which referred to the alleged release "of a large number of Chinese offenders under the Act." In response to application, "whilst other applications for the release of Chinese offenders under the Act have been denied by other judges," pointing to "a conflict of opinion among judges of the Supreme Court on the matter of granting or refusing such applications."

Two-Sided Problem

Dr. Clem Davies, in opening the meeting, pointed out that the question of the Oriental in British Columbia was an economic one. The league had to meet the criticism of those that took the stand that Christian men and women should not take any aggressive action against the Oriental. This criticism was made in all sincerity by many people, and had the sympathy of the speaker, although not his support. He explained that the objects of the league were not to expel the Orientals already here; rather it meant that no more should be admitted. The league wished just treatment for both Orientals and whites in British Columbia. If the Oriental was a better worker in the mills, factories and elsewhere, then he should be paid the just wage, just as a white man. But he should have to maintain the same social and sanitary standards.

Soldier Versus Chinaman

The case of a war veteran, cook in a hotel, who had been discharged during illness and replaced by a Chinaman, was reported by the soldier in a communication which formed part of correspondence read by the secretary. The name of the hotel was asked by some of the audience, but was not given to the meeting, although it was announced by the secretary that he would give the information on personal application. Another letter was from a man discharged from a shingle mill following an altercation with one of the Oriental employees.

Minimum Wage

Mr. Carlow maintained that the Minimum Wage Act was the only way of settling the Oriental problem. This speaker said that about fifty per cent of the 1,000 or so men employed in the Victoria lumber mills were Oriental. The Oriental in this industry was working for a small wage, forcing the white man to work for a smaller wage than he got elsewhere on the continent. Low wages in "the largest industry in the community" created a low wage basis in all other industries in the community, because if the large industries circulated a low payroll the merchants did not do enough business to pay high wages.

"As a result of the continued use of Oriental labor in this province, we have created a condition of very low wages," Mr. Carlow argued. The very fact that the United States with its high wage system was getting so many of the young Canadians should be a lesson. High wages were always a magnet. Let Canada adopt high wages and create a counter-magnet. This would also keep the Canadian already here at home.

In conclusion, Mr. Carlow asked the meeting to sponsor the suggestion of a fifty-cent-an-hour wage.

Mill Owner's View

Mr. J. O. Cameron presented the viewpoint of the mill owner. He would, he said, gladly welcome the opportunity to pay high wages. Referring to a comment made by Mr. Carlow on the American mills' prices, Mr. Cameron said that the southern pine companies were getting $50 where the Cameron mills were getting only $20 per thousand. Production here was too fast for the market. Mr. Carlow had spoken of the high wages given by the Oregon and Washington mills; did he realize that there was a great deal of building going on in Portland, Tacoma and elsewhere, and that these mills had a home market, whereas Victoria lumber had to go far afield to compete in the markets of the world? It had to be carefully graded for this condition. Vancouver, even, had more building, and had sold half of its product locally, whereas Victoria had sold only ten per cent of its product locally. Other cities with their lumber market near at hand could afford to pay high wages.

"I have a perfectly good sawmill that will employ 150 men, and I cannot run it because there is no market for the lumber. Yet it costs us $2,000 a month to keep that mill shut up," said Mr. Cameron. He compared 1920 with the present time. Then there was extensive shipbuilding here, and they could charge high prices for lumber and pay high wages. But with shipbuilding the market went. One mill was shut down for a year, and did not pay even Chinaman's wages. The Cameron Mills had always made it a principle that if a white man came and took a Chinaman's position at the same wage he could do so and work toward better wages, as he qualified for them."

Saanich Member Speaks

The Hon. T. G. Coventry urged caution in any contemplated suggestions for a minimum wage, although he announced himself as favoring forty cents an hour. Recalling the visit here eighteen months ago of a lumber commission, he said that the information given by this body had shown that one of the big stumbling blocks had lain in the fact that all the mill machinery came from the United States and the millowners had to pay thirty-three and a third per cent duty before they could import here. If that difficulty could be got over, the B.C. manufacturers would have been able to raise the wages. He approved of Mr. Cameron's remarks. He also saw great difficulty in the way of operating a mill under the present high taxation. The experience of Mr. Chris Macrae in Vancouver in finding difficulty to get men for his mill, indicated that there might be some need to consider a scaled minimum wage adjusted to the local conditions in different parts of the province.

"We are absolutely taxed to death in British Columbia," said Mr Coventry. Mr. Cameron had shown that the lumber mill had to pay a tax whether it operated or not. "Maybe if my party were in power we would have to do the same thing in order to run things," concluded this speaker, amid a roar of laughter.

MANY ACTIVITIES PROMISE ADVANCES

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investigation will be undertaken at once with a view to the development of the properties. This will mean an immediate expenditure of probably many thousands of dollars.

Mill Products for Export

Englewood, the new mill site of the Wood and English interests, is now producing for export shipments. It is situate in Beaver Cove, on the opposite side of the bay to the land acquired by the Canadian Forest Products, Limited. The company has extensive logging and sawmilling interests, with a railway running back to Nimpkish Lake. According to Mr. A. W. Neill's statement in the House of Commons recently these two concerns on the northeast coast of the Island will represent about 700 men employed in the district.

Frequent allusion has been made recently to the amount of new capital going into the Alberni Valley for sawmill production and lumber manufacturing facilities. Announcements looking to facilitating the export trade of Port Alberni are expected in the near future. This should aid the investment of capital, particularly since rail facilities have been afforded into the Lakes district.

Fishery Enterprises

Fishery reorganizations have been the latest development to the Island marine industries. The consolidation announced last week between the British Columbia Packers, Limited, and the Wallace Fisheries, Limited, under which the smaller company passes under control of a $500,000 concern, should be of some importance to the Wallace Fisheries interests on the West Coast in the way of introducing new capital. The B.C. Packers have now interests in all the chief fishing centres of the Province.

The acquisition by the Canadian Fishing Company of two Vancouver Island fish canneries should result in developments. This company now has fourteen canneries on the coast of British Columbia and Alaska. The purchasing concern is a subsidiary unit of the New England Fish Company, and has acquired the plants of the Nanaimo Canners and Packers, and the Straits Fish Company, near Nanaimo.

Development Anticipated

The chief copper interests of the Island are held by the Consolidated Mining and Smelting Company, and a recent visit to the city by a representative of the company is expected to augur a more active development policy.

Coal production on the Island has returned to normal, and although no large changes of control in the operating companies have taken place in recent years, the presence of three great companies in addition to the smaller ones, interested in Island collieries should be an incentive to confidence in the Island's oldest industry.

Regina City Solicitor Drops Dead in Office

REGINA, March 1.—George F. Blair, K.C., sixty-five, city solicitor for the last twelve years, dropped dead in his office at the city hall this morning shortly after ten o'clock.

Born in 1861 at Ferguson Falls, Ont., Mr. Blair received public and high school education there, afterwards becoming a teacher near Parry Sound. Later he studied law.

Manitoba Liberals Plan New Party Organization

WINNIPEG, March 1.—Called ostensibly for the purpose of forming an organization to function both provincially and federally, a convention of Manitoba Liberals will be held here on March 25. The conference will be more comprehensive than any previous undertaking by the party during the last ten years, according to party officials. The agenda embraces such matters as redistribution, proportional representation, rural credits and other local issues.

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LOCARNO CREATES STORM IN PARIS

FIREWORKS SEEN IN FRENCH CHAMBER WHEN PEACE TREATY DEBATED

Premier Briand Quizzed on Russian and British Negotiations—Discussions Admitted But Secret

PARIS, March 1.—The debate on the Locarno Security Treaty furnished by the Chamber of Deputies today with fireworks and strong words both for and against ratification of the pact, without, however, bringing the subject to a final vote.

Louis Marin, known for his hectic outbursts, quizzed Premier Briand about mysterious negotiations carried on by Russia in which Great Britain was interested just before the Locarno conference. M. Briand, while admitting the existence of such negotiation, failed to reveal their nature and purpose.

But he did say that if France had not signed the Locarno Security Pact and Arbitration Treaties she would one day have found herself isolated in the face of an alliance between Soviet Russia and Germany.

M. Marin objected to ratification of the security pact on the ground that it would place France at the mercy of Great Britain, which he asserted, henceforth would be the arbitrator of her destinies as far as European politics were concerned.

BRITISH FOREIGN CHIEF APPEALS FOR FREE HAND IN LEAGUE CONTROVERSY

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He declared himself immovably opposed to the suggestion that any state should be admitted to the council as a counterpoise to Germany, but contended that there was sound argument for increasing the permanent membership, seeing that under the Locarno agreement it was possible that Germany herself, and all the present permanent members except Japan, would be regarded as interested parties and therefore would be able to vote if a dispute under the Locarno treaty came before the council.

The real question was how could the council be made first effective for the maintenance of peace and best pursue its task of conciliation. This was the test which ought to be applied and not any counting of votes in a body where, unless there was unanimity, there could be no decision.

Alluding to Poland, Sir Austen paid a tribute to the attitude of Count Skrzynski at Locarno and the courage, statesmanship and moderation displayed in the speech which Count Skrzynski made last week.

Three South American Seats Urged

GENEVA, March 1.—An increase in the number of non-permanent seats in the council of the League of Nations allotted to Latin-America from two to three, and perpetual reservation of this third seat to Brazil, Chile and Argentina, who will hold it in turn, is the latest formula advanced tonight as a partial solution of the crisis created by the demand for places on the council. The word "partial" is used advisedly, for it is recognized that the greatest danger in the crisis is found in Poland's demand for a permanent seat.

Spain Likely to Get Seat

Telephone and telegraph messages from the various capitals of Europe tonight indicated the serious nature of the conflict. The general belief expressed here is that it will increase in violence until the arrival of the statesmen Sunday, when it will be fought out. The League spokesmen are confident that the gravity of the dispute will force the diplomats to reach a compromise or agreement.

The belief is growing that Poland is unlikely to obtain a permanent seat next week. It is thought possible that the trouble will be settled by electing Germany and Spain to permanent seats, and by putting Poland up immediately for election to the vacancy among the non permanent seats caused by the elevation of Spain.

Japan With Majority

TOKIO, March 2.—The Government, it is understood, is cabling Viscount Kikujiro Ishii, ambassador to France and Japan's representative on the League of Nations council, instructions regarding the proposed enlargement of the council. While the Government is believed ordinarily to be opposed to any enlargement, the cabinet, it is understood, favors voting with the majority on the proposal because new conditions presented by the admission of Germany affect principally European powers.

LAYMAN GIVES HIS WEALTH TO CAUSE

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The funds accruing from the businesses will be administered by the Lunn foundation for the benefit of the movements which Sir Henry has supported during the last ten years.

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ISLAND FARMERS MEET THURSDAY

ANNUAL GATHERING OF INSTITUTE WILL DISCUSS PROBLEMS AFFECTING INDUSTRY

Mr. C. E. Whitney-Griffiths Will Report to Gathering Upon Questions in the East

The annual meeting of the Farmers' Institutes of Vancouver Island will be held in the Parliament Buildings on Thursday. It is expected that about twenty-five delegates will be present at the gathering. The sessions begin at 10 o'clock in the morning and will continue all day. At 12:30 noon a luncheon will be served in the Chamber of Commerce dining-room for the delegates and in the evening all are invited to attend the Forum meeting of the Chamber of Commerce which has been called for that evening, when the marketing question for home-grown products comes up.

One of the interesting features of the meeting of the Institutes will be the presentation of a report by Mr. C. E. Whitney-Griffiths, covering his recent visit to the East. As the representative of the Province he attended the Dominion Sheep Breeders' Association in Toronto and will report upon that gathering very fully.

Consulted Prime Minister

But in addition to the attendance at the meeting of the sheep breeders, Mr. Whitney-Griffiths also spent some time in Ottawa, and while there took up a number of subjects which are of pressing interest to the farmers of this section of the Province in common with other districts. He discussed the subjects with the Prime Minister, Rt. Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King, with the Minister of Agriculture, Hon. W. R. Motherwell, and with the Minister of Public Works, Hon. Dr. J. H. King, and expects to give the meeting some interesting features in connection with these interviews.

The problems that were discussed by Mr. Whitney-Griffiths with the ministers at Ottawa cover the subjects of Oriental ownership of land, immigration, the soldier settlement abandoned lands, the Federal Farm Credits Bill and the Dominion sheep policy. These will be dealt with by him in his report to the meeting on Thursday.

BRITAIN ABANDONS PLAYFIELD SCHEME

Cabinet Ministers Heave Sighs of Relief as Government Postpones Proposed Grant

LONDON, March 1.—With hardly an exception the Government's decision to postpone the proposed grant of £50,000 a year for five years to establish sports grounds for civil servants has been received with relief by the majority of cabinet ministers and by the Conservative newspapers.

The scheme was considered inexpedient at a time when the Government was proclaiming the need for national economy.

Rather curiously, some Liberal journals were inclined to support the proposal. The attitude probably was aroused to some degree by resentment at the proposed cuts in the Government's expenditure on education.

Chinese Wreck Churches

CHUNG KING, China, March 1.—Students and soldiers during an anti-Christian demonstration today wrecked the interior of the American Adventist Church. Many persons were arrested.

International Gyro President to Visit Clubs

Mr. Kenaz Huffman, of Denver, Col., International President of the Gyro Club, shown on the right with Mr. J. R. Northey, president of the Toronto organization. Mr. Huffman is visiting all of the Gyro Clubs in Canada and the United States

Citizens Have Only One Month Left in Which to Register

ONLY a month remains for citizens to register for the Provincial voters' list, Mr. G. H. Mahon, registrar of voters for British Columbia, reminds the public. The last day for the filing of applications, which are taken at the Provincial Court House, is Saturday, April 3. Citizens must register for the Provincial as well as for the Federal voters' list, Mr. Mahon pointed out yesterday. Between 6,000 and 7,000 names were struck off the list for failure to vote at the 1924 election.

COURT ACTION TAKEN TO UNSEAT MEMBER

Progressive Winner in Peace River Accused—Bribery and Switching of Ballots Charged

EDMONTON, March 1.—A protest has been filed in the Supreme Court here on behalf of John Bernard Page, of Edson, against the sitting Federal member for Peace River, D. M. Kennedy, Progressive. Switching, changing and substitution of ballots, bribery, treating, personation and other illegal and corrupt practices, as defined in the Election Act, are alleged. The petition, which is accompanied by $1,000, asks that the member be unseated.

OTTAWA, March 1.—"I will fight this protest," stated D. M. Kennedy, Progressive, Peace River, in discussing the petition to unseat him which has been filed in the Supreme Court of Alberta.

"The charges in this petition appear to be framed to 'get me' and apparently of a personal nature," continued Mr. Kennedy. "As far as I am concerned there was no switching, changing and substitution of ballots, bribery, treating, or other illegal and corrupt practices. These I positively deny. Further, during the recount in my riding, which lasted twelve days, not one of those charges was even suggested.

PLAN SUMMER CRUISE FOR SCHOOL TEACHERS

Overseas Education League Designs Itinerary for Fifty-Seven Day Tour

With the object of enabling Canadians, and particularly the teaching profession, to gain a better impression of the British Empire and its sphere of influence in the Mediterranean, the Overseas Education League has designed an itinerary for a Summer cruise to be made this year.

The Canadian Pacific steamship Marloch has been specially chartered for the cruise and will sail from Montreal on July 2, returning to the same port on August 27, during which time it will cover nearly 12,000 miles.

Major F. J. Ney, M.C., executive secretary, National Council of Education, Canada, is the organizer of the cruise and tour, which will include visits to places of historic and literary interest other than those under British administration to provide an opportunity for comparative study of conditions and methods of government and development.

Fifty-Seven-Day Cruise

During the course of this fifty-seven-day cruise visits will be paid to Newfoundland, Madeira, Algiers, Tunis, Malta, Egypt, Palestine, Venice, Athens, Syracuse, Naples, the French Riviera, Marseilles and Gibraltar.

In order to terminate the cruise in a fitting manner, a visit to the hub of the Empire will be made, the Marloch calling at Southampton, where passengers will disembark and proceed to London for a three-day sojourn.

Will Visit Jerusalem

On the tour of Egypt and Palestine the party will proceed from Alexandria to Cairo by special train, spend from four to six days in that country, and then take train to Jerusalem, rejoining their ship afterwards at Haifa.

The cruise is, in general, open to all educationists, including faculties of universities, members of the National Council of Education, its local committees and the clergy, specially recommended members of the Imperial Order of the Daughters of the Empire and members of men's and women's Canadian clubs, while a limited number of doctors and nurses, senior university undergraduates and graduates of not more than two years' standing will also be accepted.

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RESTITUTION OF BIG AMOUNT IS SOUGHT

Dr. Thomas F. Young Brings Action to Recover $10,000 Invested in Local Land Deal

Action to recover $10,000 invested in Cordova Bay lands in 1912 was started by Dr. Thomas F. Young before Mr. Justice Gregory in the Supreme Court yesterday, with Cross & Company and Mr. F. J. O'Reilly named as defendants.

Mr. E. C. Mayers and Mr. John R. Green are counsel for the plaintiff, and Mr. W. C. Moresby and Mr. R. C. Lowe for the defendant company.

When the case opened Mr. Mayers explained that the transaction had been conducted by the late Mr. C. T. Cross, then a partner with Mr. O'Reilly, in Cross & Company. The sums involved were $3,500, $3,399 and $3,352, he said.

When he had invested his money, Dr. Young said, he believed that $10,000 would secure for him a fifth interest in a syndicate to handle the Cordova Bay land. Mr. George H. Dawson, erstwhile surveyor-general, and New York investors were named as other members of the syndicate.

Opening the case for the defendants, Mr. O'Reilly took the stand and testified that Mr. Cross had conducted the transaction in question and that the books of the firm constituted the only source of such knowledge of the deal he had.

Mr. G. H. Dawson confirmed the letters he wrote to the plaintiff and outlined the situation as it would have been understood by the plaintiff thirteen years ago.

Mr. C. H. Revercomb testified he had originally sold the property to the syndicate for Mr. C. W. Bradshaw.

The case will proceed at 11 o'clock this morning.

Fatal Still Explosion

LOS ANGELES, March 1.—Elmer Copenhaver received fatal burns when a 100-gallon still exploded in his garage and set fire to his clothing.

Stunt Man Killed

SANTA MONICA, Cal., March 1.—An Indian stunt man, Chief White Eagle, of Ponca City, Okla., lost his life when he attempted to jump from an airplane with ten parachutes, intending to use them one by one. When he cut away from the fourth he was so near the ground that it failed to open.

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QUEER SEA CREATURES SEEN BY FISHERMAN

Fifteen-Foot Long Fish Seen Crawling Along Surface at Entrance to Pender Harbor

PENDER HARBOR, March 1.—Captain M. K. Morrison says that while trolling for salmon outside the harbor entrance, he had a close view of two strange looking fish that were neither sharks nor sea lions. He says they were about fifteen feet long and wiggled along the surface of the water like snakes. The heads were shaped like those of rats and the lower jaws were supplied with teeth, but had no tusks. The strange creatures had fins the whole length of their backs.

Forest Ranger T. Murray says that he saw similar peculiar fish inside the harbor about a month ago.

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HOSPITAL RATES ARE CONFERENCE SUBJECT

Representatives of Municipalities and Hospitals Association Wait on Commissioners

Representatives of British Columbia municipalities and the Hospitals Association of British Columbia laid their views on the question of the rate for indigent patients before the hospital commissioners at a conference at the Parliament Buildings yesterday morning.

The inspector of municipalities and the inspector of hospitals, appointed commissioners under the authority of the Hospital Act to deal with the question of indigents' rates, listened carefully to the arguments presented by the representatives of the various interests comprising the delegation.

No decision on the question of the establishment of a definite charge in place of the scale existing under the old system was reached by the commissioners who will give immediate consideration to the views laid before them yesterday.

INHUMAN FATHER'S VICTIM IN COURT

Dying of Starvation and Frost Bite, Neglected Lad Is Brought in on Stretcher

PETERBORO, Ont., March 1.—Three children of George Dwyer, of Dumner Township, Neille, aged thirteen; John, twelve, and George, aged nine, are in a local hospital suffering from malnutrition and frostbites. Their father appeared in police court Saturday on a charge of neglect and was remanded until Friday. George, who weighs only thirty pounds, was brought into the hospital on a stretcher. He had one toe frozen off at the second joint, while two fingers and one of his heels were affected by frostbite. He may not survive.

The children's mother is dead and they are being looked after by their stepmother.

Wins $1,000 Prize

REGINA, March 1.—Miss Alice E. Wilson, of the Geological Survey Department at Ottawa, is the 1926 winner of the $1,000 scholarship offered annually by the Canadian Federation of University Women's Clubs. Mrs. Douglas J. Thom, Regina, chairman of the national committee, made the announcement.

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PAARDEBERG HEROES HONORED AT TABLET

Annual Commemorative Service Held Sunday at Bay Street Armory by Campaigners' Association

The annual Paardeberg commemoration service was held on Sunday afternoon at the Armory, under the auspices of the British Campaigners' Association. The anniversary of the surrender of General Cronje is the date selected for the occasion.

"The Brotherhood of Man" formed the subject of the address by Rev. William Carroll, the chaplain, Lt.-Col. Lorne Ross presiding.

Those present included a detachment from the Royal Canadian Navy under Lt.-Commander Oland; a detachment of all units of the permanent force militia; a record representation of the British Campaigners' Association, and other veteran organizations, and representatives of the local chapters of the I.O.D.E., with their standards.

The pipe band of the 16th Canadian Scottish played "The Flowers of the Forest," and a bugle sounded the Last Post. Wreaths were laid at the foot of the tablet in the Armories at the conclusion of the service.

Last of Overland Telegraph Expedition Dies at Chilliwack

CHILLIWACK, B.C., March 1.—John McCutcheon, aged 84, a resident of the Chilliwack district for more than sixty-two years, died at his home here this morning. He was the last survivor of the Western Union Telegraph Company's expedition for the construction of a telegraph line from the Coast to Ashcroft in 1864, and the first warden of Chilliwack municipality, being elected to this office fifty-two years ago.

Honore de Balzac died of blood poisoning in August, 1850.

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LEAGUE OF NATIONS

The discussion arising out of the proposed admission of Germany into the League of Nations has already been productive of some caustic criticism because Sir Austen Chamberlain apparently sees no reason why the Council of The League should not have an increasing membership. It is only to be expected that the prospect of Germany's accession to a permanent seat should be made the occasion for representations from other states for similar recognition. Spain and Poland want major representation, and if they were to get it Brazil would probably have an equal claim. Were these three countries given seats on the Council its personnel would then number eight, and if, eventually, Russia and the United States were to become members the number would rise to ten.

Originally the conception of the League of Nations was that there were to be seven permanent seats for what are called the seven Great Powers—Britain, France, Italy, Japan, American, Germany and Russia. Up to date there have been but four permanent members. Germany's coming in will make five. For some reason or other it is felt that the fortunes of the League will suffer if the principle of seven permanent seats is forfeited and smaller nations are admitted to the Council table. Sir Austen Chamberlain does not share this view. He is quite willing that the membership should be increased. On the other hand his critics claim that the discussion of such a possibility at the special Assembly which convenes this month will create differences that will vitally affect the whole future of the League. Since Sir Austen's attitude is very naturally taken as that of Britain, the smaller nations, and notably Poland and Spain, have gained confidence in their ambition.

In regard to Poland it is being pointed out that before that state can claim a permanent seat on the League Council she must serve a longer apprenticeship. She must also show a strict regard for the principles of the League. On Poland's part the claim is that she should not be put at a disadvantage in relation to Germany with whom she has many serious problems arising all the time. The opponents of increasing the permanent membership of the League point out that in the case of Brazil it would be an anomaly to choose the one Portuguese country in South America which is a "Spanish continent." Were that course taken the other states of South America, and notably Chili and the Argentine Republic, would have legitimate grounds for protest and it would be a protest that could not very well be ignored. The objections raised to Spain as a permanent member are varied. Spain is now making difficulties about Council membership by declining to ratify an amendment to the Covenant which would enable the Assembly to draw up rules under which non-permanent members of the Council would be elected for three years and then suffer a three-year period of non-eligibility. It is pointed out too that if Spain has a claim for representation on the permanent council, then Sweden and Czechoslovakia have as well.

The wires are being pulled at the present time to prevent the question of the eligibility of these nations to become members of the permanent council from arising at the Assembly meeting. The desire in powerful quarters is to confine the discussion at that gathering to the admission of Germany alone. The Assembly was called for that purpose and in every probability would have carried out its intention without any grave difficulty were it not for the statement of Sir Austen Chamberlain. In principle he is probably right, but any concrete proposal before the League Council will encounter the stiffest opposition. In most quarters it seems to be regretted that Britain's Foreign Secretary should have given such encouragement to the claims of the smaller states, claims which, it is being urged, will not forward the true interests of the League of Nations.

REDUCING TAXATION

The Government of the United States has decided to effect a tremendous reduction in taxation. The administrations of many of the municipalities of Canada and the United States also seem to be impressed with the necessity of reducing taxation. There is a general demand in the newspapers of this country for reductions of taxation in Federal, Provincial and Municipal administrations. This demand is based upon the assumption that there can be no permanent revival in the trade and business of the country at large unless measures of the strictest economy are adopted, that the people are bearing such a heavy load of taxation that private business enterprise is strangled and private business initiative throttled.

The Federal Government of Canada should follow the lead of the Federal Government of the United States and reduce the load of taxation. If it does not do that the competition of the United States, which Canada must meet both in domestic markets and in foreign markets, will be more severely felt than ever before. The King Government, if it continues to submit to the dictation of the Progressives and to pay the price demanded by the Progressives for their support, will not be in a position to reduce taxation. It may even be compelled to increase taxation. Therefore the prospects before Canada are not as bright as they ought to be considering the bountiful harvest of the past year and the general conditions throughout the world. That is the most unfortunate and the most depressing feature of the present political situation. The party political issue is insignificant compared with it.

SHALL NEVER DIE

The Labor Party of Great Britain "enjoyed" a brief term of office, if not of power. Mr. Ramsay MacDonald frankly confessed that he was surprised when called upon to form a government, which he would not have formed but for the generosity—or something else—of the Liberal Party. Now Mr. MacDonald claims that ultimately the Labor Party will be the dominating political party in Britain. Many strange things have happened in this world of changes, and it is quite possible that the Labor Party may even swallow and assimilate the other political parties. One of those parties is almost in a condition fit for swallowing and assimilation at the present time.

Whatever happens, there will always be an opposition to the Labor Party. Even if the Conservatives, as well as the Liberals should be absorbed by Labor, still there will be an opposition. Should there be no Conservative or Liberal opposition, Labor will provide its own opposition. There are divisions in the British Labor Party and in all other Labor parties at the present time—so many divisions that it is a hard matter to keep track of them all. There is Mr. A. J. Cook and his division to begin with and several other leaders with their divisions. One British Labor leader has been expelled by his followers. Another Australian leader has been expelled by his followers. It is not likely that the expelled leaders will pay any attention to the decrees of expulsion. These peculiar manifestations of the genius Labor are not of great importance, but they are interesting as showing that whatever happens the most striking of the features of our cherished political system, an opposition, shall never die.

A CHURCH MOVE

One temperance society, that of the Episcopal Church in the United States, has announced its intention of working hereafter for the modification of the Volstead Act to permit the sale of beer and light wines. This action is the result of a questionnaire sent out last year to 20,000 members throughout the country. It was found through this that there were six chief objections to prohibition as follows: (1) It is causing the stoppage of temperance teaching; (2) It has resulted in increased drinking amoung young people; (3) It has discouraged the consumption of wines and beer and encouraged demands for distilled liquors which were mostly poisonous; (4) It has brought about disrespect for all laws; (5) It was class legislation discriminating in favor of the rich; (6) the survey showed an increase in intemperance.

This report has been made public by the Rev. Dr. J. Empringham, the Secretary of the Episcopal Church Temperance Society, though he was appealed to by the prohibitionists in both the United States and Europe not to make it public lest he do "irreparable injury to the cause of prohibition." He is himself a life-long abstainer. His society in 1917 was overwhelmingly in favor of prohibition but its viewpoint has changed with observation of the working of the Act. Now its president, Rev. D. A. Carstersen of New York, says that in his 50 years in the ministry he has never seen so much distress among parents as during the past five years. He issues a warning against the tactics of the Anti-Saloon League, "whose propaganda is not distinguished by meticulous regard for the limits imposed by facts."

The Polish experiment of a capital levy introduced in 1924 does not seem to have proved a success. The idea was to impose one milliard zloty (about $200,000,000) to believed during three years. The first year brought in 200,000,000 zloty instead of 333,000,000 and in 1925 the country only paid 60,000,000. The Minister of Finance has now come to the conclusion that the levy is detrimental to the economic condition of the country. He proposes to reduce the original sum. The Socialists of Poland are opposed to any reduction but all sections in the Coalition there are a unit in the belief that if there is to be a capital levy it must be on a very low scale.

Under the Criminal Code of Canada it is a penitentiary offence to go masked by night. The penalty is never inflicted upon the dancers at a masquerade ball.

Totalisator in France

(By a Correspondent in The London Morning Post)

Those who are concerned in the betting problem will be interested to learn that a different sort of Pari Mutuel from that which at present exists in France will shortly be established there. The move is one of considerable importance to French racing people. It has always struck Englishmen when betting on French racecourses that a great drawback of their system is that you can never tell the odds you are going to secure. It is true that rough calculations can be made from the number of tickets sold up to a certain time, but these are not really satisfactory, and you are in the dark as to the actual prices until the figures go into the frames after the race.

If you have been fortunate enough to back a winner or a placed horse you often have to wait as long as fifteen minutes after the finish before you know the odds. The long delay which ensues between the end of the race and the paying out of the winnings has always seemed to me one of the chief defects of the Pari Mutuel system in France. I have often wondered why the vastly quicker and up-to-date Australian system has not been introduced there. As a fact, it has been talked of for many years but there has been opposition to the installation of new machinery.

I learn, however, that this opposition has now been broken down. The Societe d'Encouragement has decided during the past few days to go over to the Australian system. This society is the most important of the various French racing associations. The Vicomte d'Harcourt is its president, and its honorary members include the King, the Prince of Wales, the Duke of Portland, the Earl of Durham and the Earl of Derby. The Societe d'Encouragement has control of the Pari Mutuel arrangements at such courses as Longchamp, Chantilly, and Deauville. Some time ago it appointed a commission to make a complete investigation in Australia of the merits of the totalisator. The fact that the Society has now resolved to change its system makes it clear that its searching and long-drawn-out inquiries have had a convincing result.

Advantages of "Tote"

I was given the opportunity a few years ago of inspecting a working model of the automatic totalisator, which was on view in London. I reported favorably on the system in these columns at that time. Its advantage over the French methods were obvious. Ingenious machinery carries out the work which in France is performed by an army of officials, with the result that there is a great saving of time, and mistakes are practically impossible.

I understand that in Australia the automatic totalisator is now established on the courses at Sidney, Newcastle, Brisbane, Adelaide and Perth. In New Zealand it is installed at Auckland, Wellington andd Christchurch. It has been adopted in India at Bombay and Madras, and also at Colombo. Even in rivalry with licenced bookmakers in New South Wales and elsewhere the totalisator has shown a steadily increasing revenue., which suggests that this form of betting is not so unpopular with the public as we are sometimes asked to believe.

The Australian Jockey Club's racecourse just outside Sidney is said to have the finest totalisator house in the world. There the machine is capable of selling tickets on any number of horses in the race up to 42. A greater number of starters can be catered for if necessary. The sale of every ticket is instantly recorded on the face of the totalisator machine which is prominently in view of the public. You can tell at a glance the money invested on every horse, as well as the total of investments on the whole field in each race.

The machine is entirely automatic. All the selling clerk has to do is to press the number corresponding to that of the horse. The operation prints and issues the ticket, records the transaction in the frame, and also brings the grand total right up to date. When the race starts the current is switched off, and no more bets can be made. Dividends are declared within two minutes of the horses passing the judge's box.

In at least one of the London clubs, these automatic principles, which so greatly improve the antiquated French methods, have become familiar to backers. In New South Wales the original expense of installing the totalisator has been met by deducting 1 per cent of the money which passes through the machine. There has never been any insurmountable obstacle to the establishment of a form of totalisator betting on English racecourses.

AS FLOWERS THAT FLOURISH

In loving memory of Cicely Scriven, of Victoria, B.C., who departed this life Monday, February 22, 1926.

(So He bringeth them unto their desired haven.—Ps. cvii., 2.)

Farewell, dear friend; Thy patient spirit fled!
Gone the long anguished day, the night of dread;
Soon wilt thou welcome us on yonder shore
With those long-loved—not lost, but gone before.
Immortal these—now numbered with the blest,
Their trials o'er; they, entered into rest.
Now, but a memory sweet—that love-lit smile,
That sympathetic heart, so freed from guile.
Folded those faithful, pale, pathetic hands—
Crowned with good works, before God's throne she stands
With prophets, priests and martyrs—lo! therein
Where neither sorrow dwells, nor pain nor sin.
O, Paradise of purity and peace!
O, happy realm of love without surcease!
May we at last like these Immortal bloom
In beauty and in bliss, beyond the tomb.

—Jeanne Valdez.

Victoria, B.C., February 24, 1926.

$80,000 Fur Robbery

NEW YORK, March 1.—Lining up thirty-five employees against a wall a squad of armed and masked robbers today escaped with $50,000 worth of pelts from the Applebaum & Company's fur dressing shops on Osborne Street, Brooklyn. Thieves also escaped with $10,000 worth of skins from the firm of Julius Kilgman & Sons on First Street, Manhattan, early yesterday.

To Wordsworth

(A poem inspired by a field of daffodils in blossom near Mount Tolmie, seen on Sunday, February 21, 1926)

How would'st thy tuneful heart rejoice
To see the glory here,
And be unto it lips—a voice
To sing its praises clear
As thou, 'mid English vales and hills,
Didst sing of English daffodils.

The year is old in weeks but seven;
It was not so with thee
When to thy raptured sight was given
That scene of ecstasy
Which thou to such sweet cadence set,
The world is dancing to it yet.

Thou saw'st ten thousand at a glance;
Ten thousand here I see,
"Tossing their heads in sprightly dance,"
Thou seem'st to say to me,
"Continuous as the stars that shine,
They stretch in never-ending line."

Speak on: thy fellowship, how sweet
Within this happy spot;
'Twas fitting here we thus should meet;
Speak on, till time forgot,
"My heart," like thine, "with pleasure fills
And dances with the daffodils."

For ah! as simple, and unproud,
And glad as thou I'd be;
To wander "lonely as a cloud,"
And "jocund company"
E'en find in daffodils like these,
"Fluttering and dancing in the breeze."

—Dudley H. Anderson.

Victoria, B.C., February 27, 1926.

Letters to the Editor

No letter to the editor will be inserted except over the proper signature and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exception.

P.G.E. Land Subsidy

Will you permit me to correct several errors appearing in your issue of this morning under the caption of "Disposal of P.G.E." You say "The subsidy provision is 25,000 acres per mile." The statutes say "Not to exceed an extent of 20,000 acres in respect of each mile."

You say the lands "are worth at a very conservative estimate $80,000,000." Do you know that the pick of this whole country has been offered for sale at $5 per acre for first class and $2.50 per acre for second class lands, and I venture to think that very little, if any, of the designated areas would classify as first class lands.

You further say that "The first definite effort should be made to interest the Canadian National Railways. Mr. Ladner has given a lead in this direction and it should be followed up by Premier Oliver and his colleagues." Seeing that I have been seeking to interest the Canadian National Railways in the acquisition of the P.G.E. Railway for several years past, and long before Mr. Ladner appeared to take any interest in the matter, I was under the impression that it was Mr. Ladner who was doing the following and not the leading.

For your information I am enclosing a copy of the P.G.E. Land Subsidy Bill.

JOHN OLIVER.

Parliament Buildings, Victoria, B.C., Feb. 27, 1926.

Pruning Methods

Sir,—In the Spring, when our gardens occupy much of our time and attention, there are two subjects on which authoritative advice is always welcome: the most effective way to control the insect pests and how to prune fruit and ornamental trees and shrubs. Locally, there are two almost opposite sets of ideas on these subjects—the old method, as practised years ago in the private gardens of Britain, that relies chiefly on secret and expensive proprietary preparations for controlling insects, and plentiful and cheap labor for garden operations; the new one as practised and taught by Canadian and American horticultural schools and colleges and Government horticultural departments. This method specializes in the reason "why" of everything and economy of operation. Our world famous fruit illustrates the practical application of this method.

That the public may judge this modern method on its merits, the Victoria and District Gardeners' Association has arranged for a series of free public addresses by experts; the first, on how the tree actually lives, was delivered by Professor Barss, of the Department of Horticulture, University of British Columbia. The second will be held in the City Hall on Tuesday evening, March 2. Mr. E. White, District Horticulturist for the Provincial Government, will discuss and demonstrate pruning methods and insect control as applied to small orchards and gardens. The speaker will take the floor at 8:30 p.m. sharp. The president, Mr. P. R. Leighton, cordially invites garden lovers to attend.

FRED BENNETT.

Holland Avenue, Burnside Road, Strawberry Vale, B.C., Feb. 27, 1926.

Soviet and Religion

Sir,—In reply to the letter of T. Merkouloff in your issue of February 20 re religious persecution in Russia, I would like to point out that there is more religious freedom in Russia today than in any period of its history, but I shall not make a statement and expect my word to be accepted without evidence, as is the case of your correspondent.

In the first place, let us define the legal position as shown in the decree of the Council of People's Commissars published on January 23, 1918, concerning the separation of the church from the state and the school system from the church. Under this decree "It is prohibited to issue any local laws or ordinances restricting or limiting freedom of religious belief," and "every citizen may profess any religion or profess none," and "citizens may give and receive religious instruction privately," but religious instruction is not permitted in schools where general educational subjects are taught.

The following part of resolution by the All-Russian Church Council in May, 1923, characterizes the church's position taken up after the revolution: "The Holy Council of Russian Orthodox Church of 1923 condemns the counter-revolutionary struggle and its methods—methods of hatred for mankind. The Council of 1923 especially deplores the anathema pronounced against the Soviet power and all those recognizing it, and this council declares the anathematization entirely void."

The Patriarch Tikhon, in his statement of June 16, 1923, expressed regret for counter-revolutionary activity, also exposed the lies being spread against the Soviet authorities, and said: "They not even omitted to connect me with this. In issue No. 606 of newspaper Novaye Vremya of May 5, 1923, there appeared a newa dispatch to the effect that electrical torture was inflicted upon me during interrogatories by the members of the Cheka. I declare this a downright lie and another slander against the Soviet authorities."

Part of statement issued by the Russian clergy before the Congress reads: "Chained hand and foot by Tsarist oppression, it was only through the November (Bolshevik) revolution that the Russian Orthodox Church regained the opportunity of natural development, of which it had been deprived for many centuries."

The Assembly of 1921 of the Ukrainian Independent Orthodox Church likewise made a declaration against all counter-revolutionary activity against the Soviet authorities.

The All-Russian Congress of Baptists also made the following declaration on December 8, 1923: "The Baptists having struggled and suffered throughout the entire course of their history of religious freedom, which they esteem above all other goods, greet the Soviet power as on that in answer to their most sacred hopes has proclaimed complete religious freedom, a substantiation of this being the present twenty-fifth All-Russian Congress of Baptists, whose assembly was permitted by the Soviet Government. This Congress, in the name of the All-Russian Baptists, which has sixteen conferences unauthorized by Tsarist law connected with its past history under the old regime, expresses its thanks through its president to the Government of the Soviet Union."

The ninth All-Russian Congress of Evangelical Christians declares to the same effect. Dr. J. S. Prokanoff, of Leningrad, who was reported in The Colonist of December 29, 1925; also numerous letters from Mussulman priests. These are the statements of people who have lived in Russia during the years since the revolution.

The foregoing quotations agree with statements from my two brothers who are priests in the Orthodox Church in Russia, and also with my own experience while connected with the Orthodox Church. As to copies of religious books being destroyed, this could only refer to prayers for the royal family, who are now non-existent; and prayers for the saints, the exposure of whose remains caused great scandal at Kiev and other religious centres.

C. OTT. SIHONENKO.

3054, Albina Street, Victoria, B.C., Feb. 27, 1926.

The Mental Breakdowns

Sir,—We are glad to see that the chief's police report is an improvement on last month, in that he has separated the nervous patient from the criminal. Until such time as we have our psychopathic ward, these poor patients are hospital cases, and sorely in need of bright surroundings, rather than the rude, bare stone corridor and cell of the criminal jail. The degradation of the thought of a criminal jail cell is often more than they can bear. One is sorry to see seven of these unfortunates treated in jail, a great number for one month, but there is pleasure in knowing that they are not this month classed with convicted criminals.

M. BEESLEY.

1750 Rockland Avenue, Victoria, B.C., February 26, 1926.

Russia and Turkey

Sir,—The following excerpts from The National Message, of London, England, may be of interest to some of your readers:

The latest illustration of the old truth that there is nothing new under the sun has just been provided for us by our Prime Minister, Mr. Baldwin. Referring to those intellectuals who are today talking of the red flag as being the latest device in freedom and progress, he said: "I have in my possession a photograph of a map made in Queen Elizabeth's reign of the country that is now called Russia and there, written in Latin across the corner of the map, is this legend, 'These people worship the sun,' and a red flag nailed to a pole."

There is nothing new in a red flag, he concluded. Also the following:

"An official report of great interest reflecting the attitude of mind of the Young Turk Party was recently issued. The Turkish Government is obliged to conclude, it ran, that its chief enemy is Great Britain, whose policy is inspired by persistent Turkophobia. In 1914 it was Great Britain's fault that Turkey threw herself into the arms of Germany, and in 1925 Great Britain is again driving Turkey to throw in her lot with the Soviet Union. Time is on the side of the Turkish Government. It can afford to wait until the favorable occasion arrives to take what belongs to it by right. Turkey will not fight when it suits her opponents. She will leave the whole issue in suspense and prepare to act at an opportune moment."

And yet, sir, with this deadly menace looming up before our vision, Britain, like Samson of old, is allowing herself to be shorn of her strength. Pray God there may not be the same tragic ending.

THOS. PARSONS.

1415 Camosun Street, Victoria, B.C., Feb. 26, 1926.

Famous Songs

Sir,—Reading in your valuable paper an article entitled "Famous Songs," by Mr. Young, of The Scotsman, might I point out that the songs enumerated for the most part were only famous amongst English-speaking peoples, who are not celebrated for musical taste. Verification of this statement may be found by reference to "Mem'oirs," by Madam Melba," world-famed queen of song. "Two Eyes of Grey," "Douglas Gordon," "Darby and Joan," etc., only express middle class sentimentalism, and when compared with the lesser known (in domestic circles) songs of Greig, Schubert, Schumann and other real composers, they can be seen to have a commonplace atmosphere, not the vital feeling of folk music of the people, or again, the finer shades of musical sentiment. However, the songs mentioned in this letter are as dead now as door nails in the Bohemian world of music lovers, which draws its ranks from peasant and poet and king alike.

EDNA BAISS.

Cobble Hill, B.C., Feb. 26, 1926.

"THE GREAT ADVENTURE"

I do not leave my Fairy Land—
My Fairy Land of Love and Light—
Because my footsteps reach the strand
Which brings another world in sight.

My Fairy Land of Life and Love
Shall larger grow and wider spread,
When from this narrow earth I move,
And friends shall whisper: "She is dead."

The Great Adventure lies before!
The Land my soul has longed to see!
While op'ning evermore and more—
Are marvels of Eternity!

—Ethel Seymour.

Notable Anniversaries

Horace Walpole, whose fame as an author rests chiefly on his letters, died in London on March 2, 1797. A younger son of Sir Robert Walpole, the famous Prime Minister, he was enabled, through his father's influence, to enjoy a considerable income from some sinecures, which sufficed to maintain his celebrated mansion, "Strawberry Hill" and to fill it with a remarkable collection of curios and works of art. He was for many years a member of Parliament for various pocket boroughs, but made no mark in that capacity, though taking care to chronicle the proceedings of the House in his well-known airy style. Walpole has been called the "best letter-writer in the English language;" his correspondents were numerous, and his epistles, together with his memoirs of the reigns of George II and George III., are taken as the most complete pictures ever given of the period in which he lived. He succeeded to his father's title, Earl of Orford, a few years before his death, but he cared little for it, and never took his seat in the House of Lords. His succession came through the death of his nephew, the third earl. Walpole never married.

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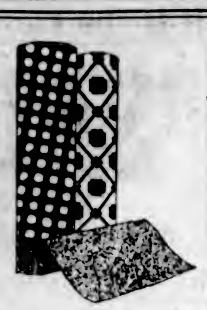

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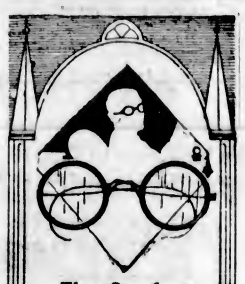

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Morphine Seizure May Reveal Narcotic Plot of Smugglers

ST. ALBANS, Vt., March 1.—Federal authorities believed today that they had discovered one of the principal drug smuggling channels into this section of the country with the seizure of morphine and heroin valued at hundreds of dollars from an alleged woman smuggler. The woman, Mrs. Celia Murray, of St. Albans, was taken from a train inbound from Montreal late last night. A young woman companion who carried no drugs was not held.

Robbers Stop Pursuit

NEW YORK, March 1.—Twenty members of the Henry Street Social Club, robbed of eight watches and $225 in cash, were, to prevent pursuit, denuded of their trousers by three armed men.

FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY

(From The Daily British Colonist of March 2, 1876)

From Sitka and Wrangel—The O.S.S. steamer California, Capt. Hayes, arrived from Sitka and Fort Wrangel yesterday morning. She reports five feet of snow at Wrangel and advices from Stickeen River is closed with ice and heavy snow drifts. There had been no communication with the interior since the previous trip of the California. Animals wintering at Wrangel were doing well. Lieut. Dyer and Mr. Catalino came as passengers.

Horse Theft—On Sunday morning Mr. Chris King found a strange horse cellar lying on the floor of his stable on Yates Street. He also observed evidence of some person having passed the night on the hay. Yesterday morning he found that the lock of the door had been wrenched off and a small black horse stolen, of which no trace has since been discovered.

The H. B. Co.'s steamer Enterprise arrived at 2:30 p.m. yesterday with the following passengers: Mrs Kridler, Miss L. Irving, Capt. Raymor, J. McLennan, W. R. Kyle, Irwin, Benj. Johnson. She reports the weather very rough, with strong head winds, on the passage down.

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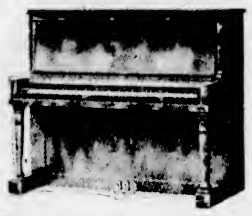

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CRYSTAL GARDEN FESTIVAL TO ABOUND IN MUSIC AND ENTERTAINMENT

Dangerous Dan McGrew and Other Picturesque Characters Will Be Familiar Figures

In connection with the elaborate programme arranged for Wednesday night at the Crystal Garden by the indoor carnival committee, it was found necessary to ask the assistance of a number of women that the stunt leaders' attractions might be handled with greater charm and grace. Hardly had the committee decided to seek for women than volunteers offered from three different sources, with the result that twenty-four women in all will assist in the entertainment of the evening.

Mr. Howard Taylor, master of ceremonies, predicts the greatest dance programme ever staged in this city. Twenty-five of the city's best-known musicians will provide the music for the evening and with the added attraction of the Charleston competition, it is felt nothing has been left undone under this head to please all who attend.

Mr. Harold Diggon, with his score of entertainers, are out to please the public and from his store of knowledge on such matters, has no hesitation in offering Wednesday night's play as one of the stellar attractions offered the public in this city.

Mr. Bob Webb reports the ghost of '98 will again stalk on March 3 and that with the bevy of beauty which will assist in the arrangements to the last detail, no one will fail to respond. Dangerous Dan McGrew arrived in town yesterday by the afternoon boat to take his part in the merry making.

Tickets on the radio contest are in full movement and from the advance sale a good crowd is anticipated.

The Royal Crown Soap manufacturers are emphatic in their statement that the soap model is solid, some rumors having got abroad that it was hollow. The firm of W. J. Pendray also stands behind the statement that the block is absolutely solid.

BRICK GARAGE FOR NORTH END PLANNED

Building Will Be Erected at Northwest Corner of Quadra Street and Princess Avenue

A brick garage is to be erected at the northwest corner of Quadra Street and Princess Avenue by Mr. Ernest Hill, of 1344 Carlin Street, who is an automobile dealer.

Announcement of this fact was made in the lands department report to the city council last evening. The list price is $4,500.

The B.C. Motor Exchange, Limited, through Messrs. R. G. Miller & Co., are acquiring for $2,100, lot 1008 (except eight feet), situate on the north side of Fort Street, between Cook and Vancouver Streets. This property reverted to the city in 1919.

The Sisters of St. Ann, as operating sisterhood at St. Joseph's Hospital, are acquiring for hospital purposes lot 343, on the north side of Humboldt Street, between Rupert and Vancouver Streets.

Mr. Thomas Thirkell, 1129 Leonard Street, is buying through Alfred Carmichael & Co., lot 8, Fairfield Farm Estate, map 560, situate on the south side of Woodstock Avenue.

Sale of other properties on Shakespeare Street, Burton Avenue and Kings Road were authorized.

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He—"I expect there was a woman at the bottom of it."

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Obituary

ALLEN—There passed away on Sunday evening at James Island Mrs. Mary Isabella Allen, aged forty-five years, wife of Mr. Edward Allen. The late Mrs. Allen had been a resident of this Province for the last thirteen years, coming at that time from Olds, Alberta, and leaves her husband and three children. The body is resting at McCall Bros.' Funeral Home, corner of Johnson and Vancouver Streets. Announcement of funeral will be made later.

CAVE—There passed away at an early hour on Sunday morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. G. R. Ford, 1932 Birch Street, Mrs. Lucy Cave, aged forty-seven years. She was a native of England and had been a resident of this city for the last ten years. She leaves her husband, Mr. Arthur Cave; one son, Mr. Arnold Cave; three daughters, Mrs. G. R. Ford, Miss Kathleen Cave, Miss Joyce Cave; also one sister, Mrs. W. H. Hadley, all of this city; her mother and three brothers in England, and two brothers, Mr. R. Heath in London, Ontario, and Mr. J. Heath in Red Deer, Alberta. The body is resting at the Thomson Funeral Home, 1625 Quadra Street, from whence the funeral will take place tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. The Rev. A. de B. Owen and the Rev. Hinchliffe will conduct the service, after which the body will be laid to rest in the Royal Oak Burial Park.

WHITAKER—At the Royal Jubilee Hospital the death occurred on Sunday of Clifford Neville Whitaker, month-old son of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Whitaker, of Blenkinsop Road, Saanich. The funeral will be held tomorrow from the Sands Funeral Chapel at 9:50 o'clock, proceeding to St. Andrew's Cathedral, where service will be held at 10 o'clock. Interment will be made in Royal Oak Burial Park.

OSAWA—The funeral of the late Rinnosuke Osawa, who passed away at St. Joseph's Hospital on February 26, took place yesterday afternoon, the cortege leaving his late home, 820 Fisgard Street, at 1.45 o'clock. More than one hundred friends preceded the hearse and relatives of the deceased to the Metropolitan Methodist Church, where a large gathering was present. Many beautiful flowers testified to the popularity of the late Mr. Osawa. After the services, conducted by the Rev. Dr. W. J. Sipprell and the Rev. R. Osawa, were held, the procession proceeded to the C.P.R. wharf, and the body was forwarded to Seattle, where cremation will take place.

Report New Gas Well

CALGARY, March 1.—A new gas float at 3,350 feet depth estimated at 200,000 feet a day, in the McLeod Number 2 well in Turner Valley in Southern Alberta, forced oil up between the casing on Saturday, which today was still spurting. Government Petroleum Engineer Davies described the strike as a "good showing."

The Weather

Meteorological Office, Victoria, B.C., at 8 p.m., March 1, 1926.

TEMPERATURE

	Min	Max
Victoria	40	55
Vancouver	34	54
Kamloops	30	56
Barkerville	30	44
Prince Rupert	40	48
Estevan	40	56
Dawson, Y.T.	4b	4
Calgary, Alta.	26	50
Winnipeg, Man.	6	8
Portland, Ore.	41	66
San Francisco, Cal.	54	74
Seattle	42	54
Spokane	30	56
Penticton	27	50
Vernon	24	48
Grand Forks	18	42
Nelson	28	52
Cranbrook	21	42
Edmonton	24	42
Prince Albert	2b	14
Swift Current	24	32
Qu'Appelle	2	14

MONDAY

Maximum	55
Minimum	40
Average	47
Minimum on the grass	37

Bright sunshine, 10 hours, 30 minutes.
General state of the weather, clear.

FORECAST

Victoria and Vicinity—Light to moderate winds, partly cloudy and cold at night.

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5 P.M. Weather Reports.

Victoria—Barometer, 30.19, wind, N., 12 miles, clear.

Vancouver—Barometer, 30.18, wind, N.W., 4 miles, clear.

Kamloops—Barometer, 30.30, calm, clear.

Barkerville—Barometer, 30.20, calm, fair.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 30.22, wind, S.E., 4 miles, raining.

Estevan—Barometer, 30.20, wind, N.W., 12 miles, clear.

Tatoosh—Barometer, 30.14, wind, N.E., 20 miles, clear.

Portland, Ore.—Barometer, 30.04, wind, N.E., 4 miles, clear.

Seattle—Barometer, 30.14, wind, N., 10 miles, clear.

San Francisco—Barometer, 30.02, wind, N.W., 4 miles, cloudy.

Mr. Plane (who is fond of dogs)—"Miss Waite, don't you think you ought to have an intelligent animal about the house that would protect you and—" Miss Waite—"Oh, Mr. Plane! This is so sudden!"

Grand Chapter Masons Holding Convention

The Grand Chapter Royal Arch Masons of Canada are holding their sixty-seventh annual convocation in Toronto. Above are shown the Grand Z. (top), K. J. Bunstan, Toronto; Grand H. (centre) and Edwin Smith, London, Grand J. (below).

Prisoners Released

BERNKASTEL, Prussia, March 1.—The wine growers' demonstration of Thursday against the heavy taxes had a dramatic sequel here. Approximately 1,000 wine growers from Bernkastel and surrounding districts marched to the jail and demanded the release of fourteen men held as instigators of the disturbance. The district attorney, fearing a renewal of the trouble, complied with their demand.

Fussy Lady—"Does your mother know you smoke?"
Small Boy—"Does your husband know you speak to strange men in the street?"

—From "Til Tills

GARAGES ALLEGED TO SHUT OUT PROSPECT

Esquimalt Will Find From Solicitor How Far Municipality May Regulate

Esquimalt has a difficulty to face in the matter of garages. It is complained that there are residents of the municipality whose homes are disfigured by the location of garages on other people's property adjoining. The municipal solicitor will be asked to give advice as to what authority the council has in the matter of regulating this vexed question.

Councillor Anderson called attention to the fact that he had complaints from residents against the practice of putting garages right on the street line, thus shutting out the view from many neighboring residences and creating a positive nuisance. In some instances, he said, these structures were placed right up against a neighbor's lot, constituting a building practically in front of another's door.

The council discussed the right of the municipality to amend the building by-law to cover this complaint, and it was decided to get the advice of the solicitor in the matter and find just how far the council could go in its amendments.

"We keep three servant girls," said Newbury, "one coming, one going and one here."

ESQUIMALT CUTS OFF ONE POLICE OFFICER

No Increase in Pay of Remaining Two Will Be Made by Municipal Commissioners

The police commissioners of Esquimalt will buy a motorcycle for the use of the police, and in so doing will cut off one police officer. There will be no increase in the pay of Chief Dawley and the remaining constable.

At the last public meeting of the commissioners, Mr. Saddler favored the cutting off the services of the police magistrate and discontinuing use of the Victoria police offices and services now used in the city in favor of utilizing the two local Justices of the Peace, and erecting of a couple of cells in the municipality. The plan will not be acted upon. The question of the police magistrate, it was ascertained, was beyond the authority of the Police Commission to deal with.

City Gives Services

When the chief of police was asked what service was obtained from the city of Victoria for the $200, it was explained by him that the municipal police had the use of the city police's fingerprint and photographing department, as well as the right to use the cells in the city lock-up at all hours.

Commissioner Saddler felt they were perhaps paying too much to the city. It was pointed out that the other municipalities using the city court house, etc., were not making any move against the sum charged. It was, therefore, allowed to stand.

On the matter of the police pay, Commissioner S. Bowden moved to increase these by $5 a month each, which would include the chief and the one constable, whose pay was now $160 and $125, respectively.

He said that the other municipalities were paying $10 higher rates than were paid in Esquimalt, and the duties of the officers were not as varied as in Esquimalt.

Commissioner Saddler, however, took the ground that he had been elected on a policy of retrenchment. He would not, he said, go back on that and refused to second a motion to increase the pay.

Was Making Saving

Commissioner Bowden pointed out that even with the cost of the proposed motorcycle added the estimates had been cut down $535. He was anxious to economize as far as possible.

Reeve Matheson said he would like, whatever action was taken, to see that it was unanimous. If Commissioner Saddler could not see his way to second the motion of Commissioner Bowden, the matter would have to drop.

Commissioner Saddler said he could not consistently second the motion, so the question of policemen's pay remains as it was.

The agents for motorcycles will be asked to have their machines put to a test before members of the commission and the chief of police.

PETITIONS REGARDING MOTOR CAR PARKING SENT TO CITY COUNCIL

Two petitions were received by the City Council last night regarding motor parking in the city.

A petition signed by Mr. Arthur E. Haynes and thirteen property holders and tenants on Fort Street, asked that the parking by-law be at once made applicable to Fort Street, between Douglas and Blanshard Streets.

The other letter was from the Singer Sewing Machine Company and twenty-three others, business merchants on Yates Street, requesting that the parking of cars in the 700 block on Yates Street between Douglas and Blanshard Streets be changed to the following parking rule: "That the central parking be permitted all day and the side of the street parallel with the curb an hour parking between 9 a.m. and 6 p.m."

Both petitions were referred to the legislative committee for report.

Murderer's Life Sentence

BEATTYVILLE, Ky., March 1.—Victor A. Holmes was found guilty of wilful murder yesterday and sentenced to life imprisonment. The jury, by its verdict, decided that Holmes deliberately sent over a 200-foot cliff an automobile in which his wife, Mrs. Louisa Holmes, and their two-year-old child, Titney, were seated.

Another Cardinal Dead

ROME, March 1.—Cardinal Cagiero died yesterday. He was eighty-eight years old. He was created and proclaimed Cardinal in 1915.

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Corpse's Unique Demand

OAKLAND, Cal., March 1.—H. C. O'Dell, photographer, walked into the coroner's office, denied that his body had been taken from the Oakland Estuary last August and asked that notation of his death be stricken from the records. He demanded return of expenses for his funeral and tombstone from which he complained he received no benefit.

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Sunlight Soap, per carton	21c	Nice Corned Beef, per lb., 15¢ and	12c
Lux, per pkt.	10c	Holland Herrings, reg. $1.75 per keg. Today	$1.55
Nu-Jell Jelly Powders, 3 pkts. for	25c	Salt Mackerel, 2 for	25c
Good Local Potatoes, per sack	$2.75	Bran, 100-lb. sack	$1.65
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Wash Satin. Yard	$1.68
China Silk. Sale, yard	59c
Wash Satin, excellent quality, pink, white, black. Sale	$1.68
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Five Prisoners Escape From Maritimes Prison

NEWCASTLE, N.B., March 1.—Five prisoners, all remanded on charges of theft at Doaktown and Chathamhead, broke out of jail here. An iron bar, said to have had a flaw in it, was broken and used as a lever to shift the other bars. Blankets were used to lower the prisoners to the ground.

"I think the new doctor's a duck," she remarked coyly.

"Well, I wouldn't go so far as that," said her husband, "but I will say I've noticed a bit of the quack about him."

C.P.R. Derailment Holds Traffic for Two Hours

WINNIPEG, March 1.—Traffic on the main line of the Canadian Pacific Railway was held up for two hours this morning near Elkhorn, Man., when one car of passenger train No. 1, westbound, was derailed. No one was injured. The cause of the mishap is unknown. The line was clear this afternoon.

Teacher: "What is the milky way?"

Bobby: "Please, miss, it's the path the cow took when she jumped over the moon."

City and District

School to Reopen—The Saanich Cloverdale School will reopen tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock, after being closed for a week owing to illness.

Friendly Help Association—The monthly meeting of the Friendly Help Association will be held this morning at 10:30, in rooms (upstairs), Market Building, Cormorant Street.

Great West Life Convention—Arrangements are progressing for the Great West Life Assurance Company's western convention here, which will be held at the latter part of this month.

Contralto Here—Madame Matzenauer, the Metropolitan Opera contralto, accompanied by her daughter, Miss Anna Meyer, arrived in the city from Seattle on Sunday, and left again yesterday for the Mainland.

Constable Transferred—Provincial Constable Robert Marshall, of Nanaimo, has been transferred to Ganges Harbor, where he will succeed Provincial Constable Gardner, who is leaving shortly for New Zealand.

Notaries Named—The following have been appointed notaries public by the Provincial Government: Messrs. P. E. Pierce, Vancouver; S. G. Clark, Victoria; I. C. Edwards, Port Renfrew, and A. R. Waldie, Trail.

Want Citizenship—Three applications for naturalization as Canadian citizens were made before Judge Lampman in the County Court yesterday morning. They were those of Messrs. Salendor Pfifer, Raoul R. Robillard and Andra J. A. Robillard.

Saanich Ratepayers, Ward Six—A meeting of Ward Six Saanich Ratepayers' Association will be held in the Temperance Hall, Keating, on Monday next, when the improvement tax, road appropriations and water will be discussed.

Save the Children Fund—Recent donations to Save the Children Fund for the month of February are: Miss Macklem, $100; Mrs. A. F., $1; Miss Davis, $3; McCrea Portrait Studio, $5; Mrs. Williams, $10; Miss Macklem, $50.

Addressing Women's Canadian Club—At the Women's Canadian Club meeting at the Empress Hotel this afternoon, at 2:45, Mr. Robson Black, of Ottawa, editor of Forestry and Outdoors, will be the speaker. Mrs. Stokes will be the soloist for the afternoon.

Here to Speak Today—Mr. Robson Black, of Ottawa, manager of the Canadian Forestry Association, is staying at the Empress Hotel, where he will speak this afternoon to the Women's Canadian Club. His plans include an Up-Island tour to Duncan and Chemainus.

Ward Four Meeting—Saanich Ward Four Ratepayers' Association will hold a meeting in the Strawberry Vale School tomorrow night at 8 o'clock. The improvement tax will be discussed, together with the fee in tax revenue caused by reassessment of farm lands and the granting of extraordinary expenditures to the School Board.

Manager Appointed—Mr. Robert W. Hurst has resigned from the firm of Lemon-Gonnason, Limited, where he has held the position of foreman for the last eighteen years, to accept the managership of the Canadian Western Woodworkers, Limited, Garbally Road, the retiring manager of which, Mr. N. MacGillivray, will in future devote his attention to his interests in Saanich.

Fire at Deanery—The roof of the Deanery on Burdett Avenue was on fire yesterday afternoon, the fire being put out promptly by the firemen on their arrival. No one was in the residence at the time of the outbreak of the fire. While no estimate of the damage was made, it was not thought that the loss was heavy. A chimney fire at 1127 Oscar Street last night was quickly extinguished by the department.

Board Visits Washington—After making a survey of wage conditions in the State of Washington, members of the Eight-Hour Day Board of Adjustment, charged with the enforcement of the rejected minimum wage regulations in this Province, returned to the city yesterday. Chairman J. D. McNiven intimated that the new minimum wage scale will not go into effect here for some time yet. The board plans further investigation. In Vancouver tomorrow it will interview members of the carpentering trade.

Mining Engineer on Visit—Mr. J. C. Haas, the well-known mining engineer, of Seattle, arrived on yesterday afternoon's boat and is visiting Victoria for a few days, renewing acquaintances. Mr. Haas has been operating in various mining districts of British Columbia since 1893, and was a pioneer of the Rossland-Trail and Boundary districts, having headquarters in Rossland and Greenwood in the early days of mining in the Province. He predicts a great increase in development this year and activity in all branches of mining on the Pacific slope for 1926.

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NUISANCE ABATEMENT VIGOROUSLY SOUGHT

Oaklands Residents Protest Against Straying Cattle Herd—Advised to Lay Information

A large delegation of residents of Oaklands District waited on the City Council last night at its session at the City Hall and protested against the straying of cows in the district in which they lived. Several members of the deputation told of the nuisance and damage which the straying herd of about twenty cows were doing to private property.

Alderman Harvey asserted that the Pound By-law was difficult to carry out, but the poundkeeper was trying hard to abate this grazing nuisance.

That they were not dependent entirely upon the poundkeeper was what Alderman Woodward told the delegation. If they saw cattle grazing on the highways they could get evidence and lay an information against the owner of the cattle, who would be brought into police court and prosecuted.

The grazing of cattle on the highways not only effected Oaklands District but other parts of the city as well, said Alderman Woodward, who claimed that the poundkeeper could not be expected to watch every part of the city and work efficiently unless he had a motor car for his use.

Alderman Clearihue pointed out how the Oaklands people could proceed and obtain relief from the nuisance complained of.

On the suggestion of Alderman Brown the council referred the Pound By-law to the legislative committee for report.

MR. FRED MOULTON IS THROWN OFF WHEEL

Local Man Lies in Serious Condition at Hospital as Result of Injuries in Bicycle Accident

Mr. Fred Moulton, 717 Discovery Street, is lying in the Jubilee Hospital in a critical condition, following an accident which took place yesterday afternoon at 5:15 o'clock on Point Ellice Bridge.

While proceeding towards the city on his bicycle, Mr. Moulton and a motor truck driven by a Hindu collided. The former was thrown to the pavement, sustaining a certain amount of concussion and lacerated wounds on the face. He was taken in the patrol to the Police Station where he received first aid treatment.

Later Mr. Moulton was conveyed to the Jubilee Hospital where medical aid was rendered by Dr. J. M. Fowler.

The report at Jubilee Hospital when The Colonist went to press this morning was to the effect that Mr. Moulton's condition was fair.

Son of Notorious Spy Hanged in British Jail

LONDON, March 2.—John Lincoln, son of Ignatius Tribich Lincoln, former German spy, was hanged at eight o'clock this morning in the Shepton Mallet prison.

Lincoln, who was twenty-three years old, was convicted of shooting and killing Edward Richards, a traveling man for a brewer.

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Safety First—Wear the Beehive extra heavy silk stockings, $1.25. If it "ladders" we will replace with new pair. This week only, 2 pairs $2.25, if you ask.

Women's Canadian Club—Tuesday, March 2, Empress Hotel, at 2:45 p.m. Speaker, Robson Black, of Toronto; soloist, Mrs. A. W. Stokes.

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UNDER THE CLOCK

City Hall Activities in Brief

The City Council last night endorsed the action of the Tourist Trade Group of the Chamber of Commerce in launching a Clean-Up and Paint-Up Week in the city, commencing Saturday, March 13.

Oak Bay wrote the Council, asking if the city was prepared to renew on the same terms the present fire protection agreement with Oak Bay, which expires on March 27. The communication was referred to the fire wardens and finance committee for report.

The following recommendation of the electric light committee was adopted: "After fully discussing the question of rates, etc., your committee is of the opinion that the rates charged all schools should be the same as charged to other city buildings. In 1925 the Board of School Trustees paid $1,322 for light and $2,389 for power."

The Council decided that the cluster lighting system would be extended on Douglas Street, between Humboldt and Belleville Streets, provided that the Canadian Pacific Railway Company will bear the expense of installation, the approximate cost being $3,236. The cost of maintenance will amount to approximately $125 per annum.

No change will be made in the present lighting system of the city and the present sub-station will be continued, the Council decided.

Mr. James M. Miller made application to secure the annual engagement to the Bellingham Tulip Festival, on behalf of the 16th Canadian Scottish Band. The letter was referred to the estimates committee.

An invitation to members of the Council to attend an entertainment and dance, to be held next Tuesday night in the Fire Department recreation hall by the Civic Employees' Protective Association, Federal Union No. 50, was accepted.

City Engineer Preston wrote the Council that there was an appropriation in his estimates this year of $175 for erecting street signs, and that he would be glad to have its authority for commencing the work as the signs were now ready. Authority was granted.

The Credit Foncier Franco-Canadien Company made application for permission to erect a canopy on the Douglas Street front of the Douglas Hotel. The Council gave its approval to the request, providing it was endorsed by the Fire Chief.

The Native Sons of Canada wrote the Council that it was holding a celebration on July 1, and had applied for the use of the Royal Athletic Park on that day. The letter was referred to the parks committee to send a reply to that organization.

The council approved the application of Mr. John Thompson for admittance to the Home for the Aged and Infirm Men.

After considerable debate it was resolved that the city would construct the following concrete sidewalks, four feet wide, provided that adjoining property owners concerned will pay one-third of the cost of the work in cash: Alston Street, between Henry and Johnson Street, estimated cost $426; Esquimalt Road, between Henry and Dundas Streets, estimated cost $275; Mary Street, between Henry and Dundas Streets, estimated cost $160; Wilson Street, between Russell and Springfield Streets, estimated cost $110; completion of Craigflower sidewalk, estimated cost $1,000.

The following recommendation of the water committee, jointly with the advisory board, was adopted: "Vote No. 157, Hillside Avenue renewal main. This item in the estimates having been referred to this committee for consideration, it is recommended that the suggestion of an expenditure of $18,000 on the renewal of 1,500 feet of this main, be reduced to $10,000, and that in addition there shall be expended this year upon this work whatever amount is collected from the B.C. Electric Railway for their share of the cost of work done both in 1925 and 1926."

The council referred to estimates committee a notification from the Mayor, as chairman of the police board, that the keep of prisoners at Oakalla having been increased from fifty cents to one dollar a day would result in an increase of $2,000 on the police estimates, an item over which the commissioners had no control.

A paymaster's car, with police escort, is to be provided to pay city employees at their work, instead of requiring them to come to the city hall twice each month.

The aldermen agreed to place a sidewalk to serve a house at the corner of North Dairy Road and Shakespeare Street.

The council referred to the legislative committee for report a communication from the police board, asking for a by-law to licence rooming-house proprietors.

At the University debating team test at Memorial Hall on Saturday the City Council has accepted an invitation to be present.

No action with regard to the proposed revision of the rentals of Esquimalt hydrants will be taken until the city has fixed the rentals of hydrants within the city limits.

The council approved a recommendation for a new arc light at the corner of Shakespeare Street and Burton Avenue.

Tenders for waterworks supplies were received and opened. They were referred to the purchasing agent and water committee for report.

The council referred back, for further consideration, an offer to lease the fifty acres cleared at Elk Lake for a rearing field for the contiguous Government Game Bird farm. Mayor Pendray had offered the land for $600, the land to be sown to oats, timothy and clover.

Brakeman Killed

BEND, Ore., March 1.—Timothy O'Hara, brakeman on the Oregon Trunk Railway, was killed here this morning. He was between fifty-five and sixty years old. A sister, Mrs. Dan Nee, lives in Tacoma, Wash.

Her Heart Palpitated She Had Fainting Spells

Mrs. J. Wilson, Port George, N.S., writes:—"I suffered from palpitation of the heart and fainting spells, and, at times, I could not be left alone I was so nervous.

My trouble was caused from overwork and worry, having been left alone with a large family.

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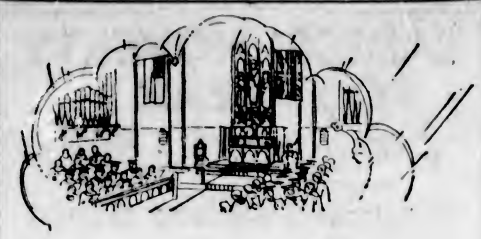

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Thief Robs Homes in Absence of Occupants

Four additional burglaries were reported during the last week-end, the method adopted being similar to those which occasioned alarm recently in James Bay district.

These robberies are scattered in various parts of the city, Linden Avenue, Wellington Avenue, Niagara Street and Alpha Street, so that the sneak thief appears to move quickly, and to be fully aware of the absence of the owners.

During the last few weeks there have been a number of these cases reported to the police, but hitherto the marauder has escaped apprehension.

"How is your new house getting on?"

"First-rate. We've got the roof and the mortgage on. I think we shall have the kitchen range and the bailiffs in before the year is out."

MINING ROADS ARE AID TO INDUSTRY

HON. DR. W. J. SUTHERLAND SAYS POLICY OF GOVERNMENT HELPS DEVELOP B.C.

Cost of Building and Maintaining Mining Roads and Trails Since 1917 Is $1,000,000

That expenditures made by the Provincial Government since 1917 on the construction and maintenance of purely mining trails and roads in British Columbia have proven of immense benefit to the mining industry in particular, and to industrial development generally was the declaration made by Hon. Dr. W. H. Sutherland, Provincial Minister of Public Works, in an address before the Victoria Gyro Club yesterday in the Chamber of Commerce.

Hon. Dr. Sutherland said that so many and so heavy were the demands for trails for prospectors and roads to mines that the Government enacted in 1917 legislation whereby Government assistance was given for the encouragement of bona fide persons and companies. To insure justification for such expenditures, resident mining engineers were appointed, he said, partly to investigate the claims and requirements whether of humble prospectors or ambitious mining companies.

Expenditure Nearly a Million

"Since this system was innugurated in 1917, more than 1,000 miles of purely mining roads and trails have been constructed, and more than 6,000 miles of the same have been maintained and improved at an expenditure close to $1,000,000," stated the speaker.

The Minister observed that the present highway system in B.C., comprising more than 17,000 miles of roads and about 9,000 miles of trails, originated in a few disconnected mining trails. Such roads as the Yale-Cariboo, Hewdney (a portion of the existing Transprovincial) and the Nicola Road, which carry so much of the present day traffic, were all developed from rough pack trails to prospects or mines. Pack trails and faithful horses are, he continued, still necessary in the prospecting and development of mines, and even with aeroplane facilities such means of transportation are likely to always be indispensable in the early stages of exploiting mineral resources.

The speaker stressed the great part mining trails and roads played in the development of the country, and asked his hearers to think of the progressive stages—pack-horse trail, often over precipitous mountain slopes, then "mule" roads on slightly improved grades, after that wagon roads on fair grades, and, finally, motor roads on grades not exceeding eight per cent.

Economic Effort of Work

"The economic and social effects of such progressive construction must be felt not only locally, but provincially. Records show that freight rates of $1 per pound in old pack-horse days were reduced to fifty cents, then to twenty-five cents, and latterly to fifteen cents per pound, according as the trail was replaced by improved modes of transportation," declared Hon. Dr. Sutherland.

A demonstration of the Panatrope, the new amplifying gramophone which Kent's Phonograph and Radio Store has just introduced in the city, was conducted under the auspices of Gyro Aubrey Kent. The programme was much enjoyed.

Tofino Correspondent Sends Evidence of Mild Winter There

The whole of Vancouver Island as well as Victoria has enjoyed an exceptionally mild Winter. From Tofino, half-way up the West Coast and in a little harbor which opens right off the great expanse of the Pacific Ocean, there arrived at The Colonist office yesterday a box of native flowering shrubs, in bloom; as well as plum blossom and some of the earlier garden flowers, primroses, Sweet William and Arabis Alpina.

Among the flowering shrubs were sal-lal, also some of the evergreen huckleberry. The latter, an accompanying communication from The Colonist's Tofino correspondent stated, had not only been continuously in bloom throughout the Winter, but had also been maturing fruit continuously. The specimen sent had several ripe berries on it.

The Winter has been a phenomenal one at Tofino. There has been no frost or snow, even in the mountains, while there has been a notable absence of dangerously high winds, "except on February 3, when a somewhat exaggerated zephyr shook things up a little."

MANUFACTURERS MEET VISITING OFFICIALS

Luncheon Given in Honor of Trade Commissioner and Head of Industrial Relations Department

The Victoria and Vancouver Island branch of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association held a special noonday luncheon meeting yesterday at the Chamber of Commerce rooms to afford an opportunity for the members of the branch to meet Mr. A. B. Muddiman, Mr. H. W. Macdonnell and Mr. Hugh Dalton, who are all intimately associated with the work of the manufacturers of Canada.

Mr. A. B. Muddiman, who has been Canadian Trade Commissioner at Singapore, is on his way east to confer with the Department of Trade of the Dominion before taking up his duties as commissioner of that department for Canada at Rotterdam, Holland.

Mr. Macdonnell is manager of the Canadian Manufacturers' Industrial Relations Department. He has on several occasions represented the employers of labor of the Dominion as a delegate to the International Labor Congress at Geneva. At these meetings each government associated in the work is represented by two appointees, the employers by one and the labor organizations by one.

Mr. Dalton, of Vancouver, is secretary of the B.C. Division of the Manufacturers' Association, and accompanied the two visitors to Victoria to meet the local manufacturers.

Gained Trade During War

Mr. Muddiman in his address to the meeting said that Canada had profited to no small extent from the fact that some of the European countries, like Germany, had not given the same attention in a trade way to the Strait Settlements and the East Indies during the war that they were able to give before that time. Canada had taken advantage of the situation to get a stronger foothold, which had been to the advantage of this country.

Since the war there had been a move by Germany to extend trade to regain the position lost in some lines there. This applied to dyes and also to some other branches of trade. Canada, however, had the opportunity to keep quite a trade and extend it in various lines if it were watched.

The successor to Mr. Muddiman in the Straits Settlements will be a locally educated man, Mr. John O'Meara, who has been in the department for some time and who is to take up his office at Batavia instead of Singapore, where the office of the Canadian representative has been in the past.

Labor Congress Work

Mr. Macdonnell, who follows the profession of law, gave a very interesting address upon the working of the International Labor Congress, especially with respect to the delegates that attend from the Eastern countries like China and Japan, whose delegates frequently have their differences fought out right on the floor of the congress.

The speaker paid a compliment to the ability shown by Mr. Tom Moore, president of the Labor Congress of Canada, who had represented the labor element of Canada in the international body on different occasions.

Mr. J. L. Beckwith, president of the local branch, presided at the meeting yesterday, which was well attended by the members in the city.

EGGS-ACTLY!

England is to adopt a scheme for grading eggs similar to the Canadian method.

—From The News of the World.

ITALIANS TO COME TO THIS PROVINCE

Company Formed to Settle 1,000 Families in Fraser Valley and Okanagan

Plans to settle 1,000 Italian families in the Fraser Valley, near Vancouver, and in the interior, have been evolved by the Canadian-Italian Immigration and Colonization Company, which was incorporated here last week with a capital of $250,000.

The company is acquiring lands in the Fraser Valley and the Okanagan district for colonization purposes. The settlers will be required to have a certain amount of capital with which to purchase land. Loans from the Immigration company will finance the erection of buildings and the purchase of equipment.

Mr. Eugene de Paolo, prominent Italian contractor of Vancouver, is behind the scheme with a number of his fellow countrymen.

Veteran of Fenians Dies at Vancouver

VANCOUVER, March 1.—Augustus A. Almas, aged seventy-seven, a veteran of the Fenian Raid, died at his home at West Vancouver on Sunday. Mr. Almas, who was connected with the Customs Department for twenty-eight years, serving at Sarnia, Ottawa and Vancouver, was born in Haldimand County, Ontario, in 1849, and had been a member of the Orange Lodge for sixty years.

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That Breathe the Very Spirit of Spring

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Vests
In fine knit cotton, plain or ribbed, built up shoulders or short sleeves; sizes 36 to 46. Price **35¢**

Vests
Better quality knit vests in opera top, built up shoulders or short sleeves, tubular finish or with neat beading; sizes 36 to 46. Price **50¢**

Vests
In fine cotton lisle, built up shoulders, tubular finish; sizes 36 to 40. Priced at **75¢**

Vests
In fine cotton lisle, opera top, built up shoulders or short sleeves, also in mercerized lisle, plain or rib; sizes 36 to 42. Price **89¢** Size 44. Price **$1.00**

Vests
Fine Quality Knit Cotton Vests, opera top or built up shoulders, reinforced under arm; sizes 36 to 42. Price **$1.25**

Vests
In finest quality mercerized lisle, built up shoulders, reinforced under arm; sizes 36 to 42. Priced at **$1.75**

Bloomers
Durable quality knit cotton, full cut garments with gusset, in shades of pink, peach, orchid and powder, also white and black; sizes 36 to 44. Price **50¢**

Bloomers
Better Quality Knit Cotton Bloomers in pink, peach, orchid, beige and powder, also white; sizes 36 to 44. Price **75¢**

Bloomers
Fine Lisle Bloomers, reinforced gusset, white only; sizes 36 to 40 **$1.25**

Combinations
In fine cotton lisle, opera top, built up shoulders or short sleeves; sizes 36 to 44. Price **$1.50**

Combinations
Step-in Combinations in good wearing knit cotton, opera top and built up shoulders, tubular finish or with neat beading; sizes 36 to 40. Price **$1.00**

Combinations
Fine Knit Cotton Combinations, built up shoulders or short sleeves, tight or wide knee; sizes 36 to 44. Price **$1.25**

Combinations
Fine Cotton Lisle Combinations, built up shoulders or short sleeves, reinforced under arm; sizes 36 to 44 **$1.75**

Combinations
Finest Quality Mercerized Lisle Combinations, built up shoulders, tight or wide knee; sizes 36 to 44. Priced at **$2.95**

—2nd Floor, H.B.C.

First of the Month Grocery Specials

Five Roses, Royal Household and Purity Flour—
24-lb. sack **$1.27**
49-lb. sack **$2.53**
98-lb. sack **$5.07**

Beaver Brand White Tissue Toilet Rolls, specially made for Hudson's Bay Company, **13** rolls for **50¢**

Finest Quality White Kotenashi Beans **4** lbs. for **23¢**

Canned Vegetable Special
3 Tins Canned Sweet Corn, **2** Tins Quaker Tomatoes and **2** Tins Quaker Peas, No. 2 tins, all for **98¢**

Holbrook's Worcestershire Sauce, special, per bottle, **47¢**

Hudson's Bay Company Freshly Roasted Pure Coffee, per lb. **45¢**

Hudson's Bay Company Special Breakfast Tea, lb., **55¢** **3** lbs. for **$1.60**

Finest Quality B. C. Granulated Sugar, **20**-lb. paper sack for **$1.29**

Canned Fruit Special
2 Tins Del Monte Yellow Freestone Peaches, **1** Tin Libby's Hawaiian Pineapple and **1** Tin Saanich Brand Fancy Quality Blackberries, No. 2 tins, all for **98¢**

Purity Brand Shaker Salt, **3** cartons for **35¢**

Ready Cut Macaroni, lb., **10¢**

Le Parfait Brand Pure Castile Soap, per bar **21¢**

Apple Special
A limited number of Boxes "C" Grade Yellow Newton Table Apples from the Okanagan District, all wrapped and in good condition. Special, box, **$2.48**

—Lower Main Floor, H.B.C.

Quality Meats at Low Prices

Sirloin Steak, per lb. **26¢**
Round Steak, per lb. **20¢**
Shoulder Steak, per lb. **15¢**
Stew Veal, per lb. **10¢**
Stew Beef, lean, per lb **15¢**
Minced Beef, per lb. **15¢**
Pickled Pork, per lb. **23¢**

—Lower Main Floor, H.B.C.

Home Sewing Week

The purpose of this event is to help those who plan their Spring sewing early. It could not have been arranged at a more opportune time, for our Fabric Sections are just now brimming over with thousands of yards of new and lovely fabrics in the season's most fashionable weaves and colorings. Large quantity buying for our several stores enables us to offer values and varieties not to be equalled elsewhere. Make your selections now, while assortments are at their best.

New Spring Wash Fabrics
Big Values—Extensive Assortments

English Ginghams
These ginghams are ideal for women's and children's inexpensive frocks. Shown in neat check and plaid effects in all color combinations; 26 inches wide. Per yard **19¢**

Japanese Crepes
Closely woven texture insuring good wear and excellent laundering quality. Shown in a large range of colorings, including scarlet, rose, pink, coral, peach, apricot, flame, brown, purple, mauve, almond, reseda, sky, saxe, Copenhagen, sand, tan, also black and white; 30 inches wide. Per yard **25¢**

Check Dimities
A popular fabric for dresses and lingerie, both for women's and children's wear. Shown in shades of Nile, peach, sky, Copenhagen, apricot, orange, cream, pink and maize; 36 inches wide. Per yard **29¢**

English Crepes
30-Inch Lingerie Crepe in all the wanted plain shades as well as many charming bird patterns. Good wearing quality. Per yard **35¢**

Printed Shantulle
A wash fabric of fine texture. Printed in the new multi-color all-over effects in striking designs and rich color combinations; 40 inches wide. Per yard **69¢**

Scotch Ginghams
A sturdy gingham for reliable wear, and good wasting. The patterns are most attractive, and include all the wanted color tones; 38 inches wide. Per yard **19¢**

Sandown Dress Fabric
A splendid wash fabric for pretty house dresses and children's wear. Sturdy in weave, insuring lasting satisfaction in wear. Colors include tan, reseda, mauve, rose, pink, sky, grey and white; 36 inches wide. Price, per yard **19¢**

Bungalow Prints
A very effective printed cotton fabric for house dresses. The designs and colorings are what you might expect in a much higher priced cotton. Ask to see these; 36 inches wide. Per yard **19¢**

Anderson's Scotch Zephyrs
For general utility dresses and aprons we recommend these Scotch zephyrs. Woven from high-grade yarns of fine texture in many new check effects and color combinations, also in all the wanted plain shades; 32 inches wide. Per yd. **39¢**

Printed English Voiles
The colorings and designs in these English Voiles are more desirable than ever. You will say so when you see them. Woven from two-ply yarns, insuring a good draping effect; 38 inches wide. Per yard **79¢**

English Striped Broadcloths
Woven from fine cotton yarns and with that silky finish so much desired. As a wash fabric these English striped broadcloths take first place as they launder perfectly. Stripes in all widths and color combinations to suit all tastes; 38 inches wide. Per yard **69¢, 89¢** and **98¢**

Ribbed Voiles 45c a Yard
A new weave in Voiles for lingerie and dresses. It is of exceptionally strong texture and should give every satisfaction. Colors include orange, maize, ivory, champagne, sky, helio, pink, peach and powder, 36 inches wide. Per yard
45c
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Mill Ends of White Cottons
Values to 35c for 19c Yard
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19c
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New Silks in Great Variety

Natural Pongee
This pongee will give every satisfaction in wear and washing. Ideal for dresses, blouses, frocks and underwear; 33 inches wide. Per yard **59¢**

High-Grade Spun Silks
A quality that will be found suitable for dresses, lingerie and other purposes. Colors include peach, pink, maize, apricot, mauve, rose, almond, sky, jade, saxe, Copenhagen, flame, natural, henna, rosewood, brown, sand, grey, navy, ivory, phantom red and black; 29 inches wide. Per yard **98¢**

Novelty Printed Rayon Silks
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Made from pure silk thread yarns this pailette will give excellent wear for dresses, slips, trimmings and other purposes; 35 inches wide. Per yard **$1.69**

Printed Silks
In many charming new designs, with lovely color combinations for dainty dresses and over-blouses. Made from double silk thread yarns for better wear; 36 inches wide. Per yard **$1.75**

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An all-silk quality for dresses, over-blouses, scarves, etc. Shown in all the leading shades for Spring; 40 inches wide. Price, per yard **$1.95**

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—Main Floor, H.B.C.

Dress Up Your Windows for Springtime

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Medium weight and reversible, in new stripes and bold patterns so attractive for house dresses, also for drapes. Per yard **45¢**

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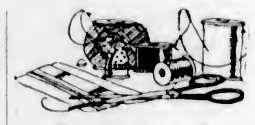

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With fancy colored edge. Special at, per yard **5¢**

—Main Floor, H.B.C.

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Black Coney
1½ Inches wide. Yard, **75¢**

Light Grey Coney
1-Inch. Per yard **85¢**
1½-Inch. Per yard **$1.75**
2-Inch. Per yard **$2.25**
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6-Inch. Per yard **$6.50**

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Society and Women's Affairs

Enjoyable Concert

An enjoyable concert was held in the Victoria Institute Rooms on Saturday evening, with Mr. Colby in the chair. The programme was arranged by Mrs. Gaskill of the Hollywood School of Dancing. Those taking part in the programme were: Miss Agnes Kennedy, Miss I. Gaskill, Miss Iris Sheret, Miss Dorothy Smith, Miss Charlotte Neilson, Miss Dorothy Copland, Miss Dorothy Urquhart, Mr. D. Hamlet, Mr. O. Peetz, Miss Mary McDonald, Miss Dina Pasto, Miss Thelma Potter, Miss Betty Thomas, Miss Martha Ross, Misses M. and E. Addlon, Miss Lily Dumbledon, Miss Helen Beck, Miss Bessie McDonald, Miss Ellen Robinson, Miss Ottor, Miss W. Green wood, Mr. Frank Holmes, Mr. Colobin and Miss Daniels. The accompanists were Mrs. F. Holmes, Mrs. Hall, Miss Ellen Robinson, Mr. Gue Gaskill and Mr. Gaskill.

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Farewell Supper Party

Miss Catherine Fraser, St. Charles Street, was hostess at a delightful supper party on Sunday evening in farewell to Miss Jean Donald, who is leaving for England and the Continent on Saturday. Those invited were Miss Vivien Combe, Miss Alice Cotton; Mr. Heelas, of Arinstrong, Mr. Jack Carey, Lieutenant Gow and Lieutenant Lay. A few additional guests arrived later, including Miss Maraquita Nichol, Miss Mabel Cotton, the Misses Lily and Dorothy Focken and Messrs. Jack Hutchinson, Fred Focken and Lieutenants Rollo Mainguy and Maurice Woods.

New Governor to Be Welcomed at Dinner

IN honor of the retiring Lieutenant-Governor, the Hon. Walter C. Nichol, and in welcome to his successor, the Hon. R. Randolph Bruce, the members of the Provincial Executive Council will tender a dinner to them at the Empress Hotel tomorrow. The Ministers will thus be afforded an opportunity of welcoming the new Lieutenant-Governor and at the same time of expressing their appreciation of the Hon. W. C. Nichol, who has filled the position of Lieutenant-Governor for more than five years. The Hon. J. A. Macdonald, Chief Justice of the Court of Appeal, who has repeatedly acted as administrator, will also be a guest.

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Surprise Birthday Party

An enjoyable surprise party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Lane, Stanley Avenue, on Saturday evening, the occasion being the anniversary of Mrs. Lane's birthday. The self-invited guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Norrington, Mr. and Mrs. T. Cowden, Mr. and Mrs. W. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. A. Speck, Mr. and Mrs. Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. Holloway, Miss Hunter, Mr. Macintosh. Bridge and dancing were indulged in, the winners of the bridge prizes being Mr. Macintosh, Mrs. Norrington and Mr. Lane. The chief surprise of the evening was a large birthday cake, in which was enclosed a beautiful teapot.

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Surprise Party

Mr. William Henderson, 2150 Oak Bay Avenue, received the congratulations of about twenty members of the Dominion Public Works Department on Saturday evening, when they paid him a surprise visit. Mr. J. G. Brown acted as spokesman and congratulated Mr. Henderson on reaching his ninetieth birthday, wishing him good health and happiness. Mr. T. J. Arnall presented Mr. Henderson with a beautifully decorated birthday cake, and a lovely bouquet of hothouse flowers was given to Mrs. Henderson. During the evening several musical selections were enjoyed by the party.

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Presentation Made

On Saturday morning Miss Sybil Dash, whose marriage takes place this week, was presented with a handsome mahogany mantel clock by the staff of the Forest Protection office and draughting room, of which she has been a member for the last few years. The good wishes of the staff were conveyed on a card, beautifully decorated in water colors, representing a forest scene, and bearing the signatures of the various members of the staff.

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Bridge Hostess

Mrs. John Cadzow, Island Road, Oak Bay, entertained with three tables of bridge on Saturday evening, in compliment to Miss Dunn, of London, England, who has recently arrived in the city on a visit to her sister, Mrs. Hextall. The guests were Miss Dunn, Mrs. Hextall, Mrs. Downes, Mrs. G. Smith, Mrs. Johnston, Miss G. Smith, Mrs. Knight, Mrs. Moore, Mrs. Philippson, Mrs. Boyd, Mrs. Hutchinson and Mrs. McVittie.

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Surprise Party Given

A number of friends paid Mr. and Mrs. F. Grieve, 1512 Myrtle Street, a surprise visit on Saturday evening. The self-invited guests were Mr. and Mrs. Barron, Mr. and Mrs. Varney, Mr. and Mrs. Joyce, Mr. and Mrs. Naysmith, Mr. and Mrs. Hoskyn, Mr. and Mrs. Savident, Mr. and Mrs. Bissell, Mr. and Mrs. Loett, Mrs. Heady, Mrs. Lindley and the Misses Annie and Lilian Barron.

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Here to Lecture

M. le Capitaine Bion arrived in the city yesterday, and is being entertained during his stay here by a member of l'Alliance Francise, for which society he is to speak tonight at Victoria College at 8:30. His subject will be "Personal Souvenirs of French India."

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Lunch for Visitor

Mrs. Heubach, of Winnipeg, was the guest of honor at an enjoyable little lunch party yesterday given by Mrs. H. T. Hughes, Elk Lake. Others present were Mrs. A. W. Jones, Mrs. E. G. Prior, Mrs. A. H. Pease and Mrs. Hermann Robertson.

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Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Payne Heming, 633 Linden Avenue, announce the engagement of their elder daughter, Naomi Domville, to Mr. Eric Donaldson Woodburn, of Vancouver. The marriage will take place early in April.

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Vancouver Visitors

Mrs. Guy Langton and Miss Hilda Langton, of Vancouver, are in the city for a week or two and during their stay are the guests of Mrs. Stewart, Roslyn Road.

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Few Days Visit

Mrs. Hamilton, of Nelson, and Mrs. Walker, of New Westminster, arrived in the city yesterday afternoon on a few days' visit, and are the guests of Mrs. J. S. C. Fraser, St. Charles Street.

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Leave for South

Mrs. Francis Ewing, accompanied by Miss Bessie Jones, is leaving on Wednesday for Hollywood, where Miss Jones will be the guest of Mrs. Ewing.

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Tea Hostess

Miss Cathrine Fraser, St. Charles Street, entertained at the tea hour yesterday afternoon in honor of Miss Florence Richardson, of Vancouver.

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At James Bay Hotel

Major and Mrs. G. C. Rigby, of Maple Bay, are visitors at the James Bay Hotel.

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Visitors in Town

Among the out-of-town guests at the James Bay Hotel are Mrs. Frank Bagley, of Seattle, and Miss Anne Bass, of Wilton, Maine.

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To Live in Vancouver

Mrs. Hamilin and her daughter, Joan, are leaving the city shortly to reside in Vancouver.

Toronto Debutante Who Is to Be Married at St. George's Church, Cannes, Thursday

THE engagement has just been formally announced at her mother's villa, "Kasbeck," Cannes, South of France, of Miss Florence Mulock to Mr. Bertram Johnston, of Toronto. The marriage will take place in St. George's Church, Cannes, on March 4. The bride-to-be, whose photograph is shown above, is the younger daughter of Mrs. Thomas Moss, a granddaughter of Sir William Mulock, chief justice of Ontario. She was one of the present season's debutantes. Last season Miss Mulock, together with her mother, was presented to Their Majesties at the Court of St. James.

Women's Clubs and Societies

Monthly Meeting

The regular monthly business meeting of the Women's Auxiliary of the Jubilee Hospital was held on Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 in the Nurses' Home. The president, Mrs. Rhodes, occupying the chair. Mrs. Hermann Robertson reported the collection of $36 in dues and the purchase of linen to make covers for the asbestos mats was authorized, also a purchase of flannelette for the maternity ward was approved. The sewing committee will meet under the convenership of Miss Dysert, on Wednesday, at 2:30, in the Nurses' Home. No further notice of this meeting will appear in the press.

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Tea and Whist Drive

The Women's Auxiliary to the Tuberculous Veterans' Association held its monthly meeting in the "Y" parlor. Among the many activities planned was a tea and whist drive for tomorrow afternoon, at 1230 Government Street.

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Sir James Douglas P.T.A.

The Parent-Teachers' Association of the Sir James Douglas School will hold a card party in the school this evening at 8 o'clock, when court whist and bridge will be played and refreshments will be served.

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Marguerite Chapter

The meeting of the Marguerite Chapter, I.O.D.E., will take place this evening at the home of the regent, Mrs. David Miller, McClure Street.

Women's Institutes

Lake Hill

The regular monthly meeting of the Lake Hill Women's Institute will be held today at 2:30 p.m. in the Community Hall.

Gordon Head

The regular meeting of the Gordon Head Women's Institute will be held in the hall on Thursday at 2:30 p.m. All ladies in the district are invited to attend whether members or not, as a matter of great importance is to be discussed. It is hoped that all those who have not returned their questionnaires will do so before Thursday, or bring them to the meeting.

Many Present at St. David's Day Concert

St. David's Day, the national day of Wales, was fittingly celebrated last evening at the Conservative Rooms, Campbell Building, when a concert and dance was held. There were about 150 present, and the chairman for the entertainment was Mr. D. Evans. The concert was opened with the singing of the National Anthem, and the programme was as follows: Piano solo, Miss Bird, A. C. L. M.; vocal solo, Mrs. Jack Hobden; recitation, Mr. Bob Thomas; duet in Welsh, Mrs. Lewis and Mrs. Williams; chorus by Welsh Glee Club; recitation, Iria Evans; duet, Mr. J. C. Williams and Mr. D. Evans; dialogue, Miss Thomas and Miss Lewis; community song, "Diadem"; solo, Mr. Maurice Thomas; anthem, Glee Club; solo, Mr. D. Evans. The accompanists for the concert were Mrs. Mason and Miss Bird. Following the concert dancing took place. A buffet supper was served by Mrs. Lewis and Mrs. Williams.

Fashion Fancies

By Marie Belmont

Cream colored broadcloth makes a very striking coat material for a model that may be worn to afternoon occasions and for informal evening wear.

This model above finishes its length with a flare section, and edges the cuffs and the hemline with badger fur. The collar is of the same fur, ornamented at either end with fur tails.

The hat is a small affair of black velvet, faced with cream broadcloth. The crown is cut in sections.

GIRLS OF 'TEEN AGE PRESENT PLAYLET

On Friday evening in the Metropolitan Sunday School the Canadian Girls in Training groups gave an entertainment, including a pageant entitled "Just Girls." The Rev. A. K. McMinn was in the chair, and after a few appropriate remarks commenced the programme, which included: Piano solo by Miss Wilburta Ede, vocal duet by the Misses Edna Yeadon and Verna Pettigrew, recitation by Miss Norma McComb, piano duet by the Misses Evelyn and Luella Harper. Before the pageant the girls in chorus sang several C.G.I.T. songs.

The pageant was in three acts, showing girls before they become Canadian Girls in Training, while they are in training, and the result on the womanhood of tomorrow. Every part of the evening's programme was taken by 'teen age girls and was well carried out. The entretainment closed with a chorus, "Follow the Gleam," followed by the National Anthem and benediction by Rev. McMinn.

Women to Retain Their Nationality by Bill

MELBOURNE, Feb. 26.—The House of Representatives has passed a bill which provides that British women who marry aliens will not lose their nationality.

Premier Bruce promised the House yesterday that the Australian delegates to the Imperial conference in October would try to secure an alteration throughout the Empire of the law affecting women who marry aliens.

Hillcrest Tennis Dance

The Hillcrest Tennis Club will hold a dance on Thursday in the K. of C. Hall from 9 till 1 o'clock. Hunt's orchestra will supply the music.

DRUGS EXCITE THE KIDNEYS, DRINK WATER

Take Salts at First Sign of Bladder Irritation or Backache

Too American men and women must guard constantly against kidney trouble because we often eat too much rich food. Our blood is filled with acids which the kidneys strive to filter out, they weaken from overwork, become sluggish, the eliminative tissues clog and the result is kidney trouble, bladder weakness and a general decline in health.

When your kidneys feel like lumps of lead, your back hurts or the urine is cloudy, full of sediment, or you are obliged to seek relief two or three times during the night; if you suffer with sick headache, or dizzy, nervous spells, acid stomach, or if you have rheumatism when the weather is bad, begin drinking lots of good, soft water and get from your pharmacist about four ounces of Jad Salts. Take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys may then act fine.

This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for years to help flush and stimulate clogged kidneys, to neutralize the acids in the system so they no longer are a source of irritation, thus often relieving bladder disorders.

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Your Birthday

March 1—You believe in yourself and your ability, and have sufficient perseverance to bring you success. You are honest, frank, good-natured, constant in your affections and capable of great love. Cultivate the habits of cheerfulness and generosity.

Your birthstone is a bloodstone, which means presence of mind.

Your flower is a violet.

Your lucky color is white.

MARCH 2.—Be neither restless nor too critical. If you are sincere, earnest and patient in whatever you undertake, you will invariably succeed. You have great self-control and are a fluent talker. You prefer the company of the opposite sex, but are well liked by your own. Try to be thoughtful for others and avoid gossip and jealousy.

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Liberal Card Party

The Victoria Liberal Association social committee is completing arrangements for a large invitation bridge, five hundred and whist party, to be held at its headquarters, corner Government and Broughton Streets, on Saturday at 8 p.m. Prizes will be given and refreshments served. A large attendance of Liberals and friends is expected to be present.

Fashions and Foibles

By Shirley Sharon

BUTTERICK 6690

Handkerchief godets raise the point of inserted fulness almost to the hip and drop it again below the hem in a frock worn recently at the Ritz in Paris. The soft fulness below the shoulder, the uneven hemline and the animation of the godets in dancing are typical of the best French styles of today.

Paris is making these frocks in dyed lace and in crepe Roma with the godets of lace dyed to match the dress. The printed georgettes and chiffons mingling fantastic flowers of Winter rose, violet, jade green and citron yellow are quite lovely for godet frocks.

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A fierce controversy is raging in Cairo, Egypt, concerning the recent appearance of a number of Moslem girls on the stage.

The Red Lacquer Case

By PATRICIA WENTWORTH

It was when M. Lasalle was staring into the depressing depths of the Smuggler's Leap that there suddenly came upon him the New Idea. Before it came his mind was as dark as the pit below him; and then with a little spurt of light like an igniting match, the infant idea was there. Immediately his consciousness turned to it, centred about it and became blessedly unaware of all the tormenting thoughts which had been making his poor mind a battlefield. It now ceased to be a battlefield and became a laboratory, a place thoroughly congenial and filled with the useful and docile idea to which poor Fritzi had now for weeks been a stranger.

As with his inner eye he contemplated this blessed change, and with his inner man rejoiced over it, he became aware of the overwhelming necessity for some place of security and retirement where in solitude and peace he might nourish and mature the New Idea. He fumbled in his pockets, pulled out his handkerchief, and wiped the sweat of a past horror from his brow. The action was definitely symbolic, and M. Lasalle's thoughts were so much uplifted that the fall of his fountain pen entirely escaped his notice. Having wiped his brow, he turned from the Smuggler's Leap and walked slowly and dreamily back along the way by which he had come. Continuously he considered the twin problems which assailed him:

The Way of Escape.

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As he regained the path, a buffet of wind struck the headland and scattered heavy raindrops. By the time that he came in view of the high road the full force of the risen storm was beating upon a countryside already streaming with water. The battered trees bent and strained, a distant thunder kept up a continuous rumble, and for a moment M. Lasalle stood still, dazed with the sudden noise and stress. Between the lines of wind-bent trees which marked the road there was a patch of light. Shadows of waving branches crossed it confusedly. M. Lasalle came to the end of the path, and saw a large limousine standing in the road just at his right. The headlights turned the drenched road in front of them into a silver river. The bonnet of the car was open, and the chauffeur was burrowing into its depths.

M. Lasalle stood and looked at the handsome car, the oblivious chauffeur, and the stormy night. A voice spoke with extreme distinctness to an inner consciousness still grappling with the two problems. It said, "The Way of Escape." M. Lasalle instantly walked across the road, opened the door of the limousine, and got in. He sank upon comfortable cushions, and a feeling of peace descended on him, blotting out the storm.

After ten minutes or so the chauffeur shut the bonnet with a clang, started the engine, and took his seat. The car moved on its luxurious way. Twenty, thirty, thirty-five miles an hour, with the road running swiftly past, and the storm dying down. The rain continued. M. Lasalle sat at his ease and watched the faint lights of villages appear and pass. After an indefinite time there were more lights, and more; then tram lines and lamp posts with great blinding arc lights. A belated tram slid by, cutting in in front of the car and stopping. The chauffeur put the brakes on hard, the car came almost to a standstill in its own length, and M. Lasalle, opening the right-hand door, stepped unobtrusively off the step into the wet road.

(To Be Continued)

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But be sure and get McCoy's, the original and genuine. Vancouver Drug Co., MacFarlane Drug Co., Owl Drug Co., and druggists everywhere are selling lots of them. (Advt.)

Fashion Fancies

By Marie Belmont

Moire in a bright cherry color is the material used for this frock, which is simple in line, yet formal enough for the smartest of afternoon occasions.

The skirt is plain at the back, and adds fullness by means of two inverted pleats at the front. The vestee is of soft silk in a cream shade.

This model would be smart in almost any becoming color, or in black with a fresh vestee.

High Honor Is Won By Ottawa Woman

A traveling scholarship valued at $1,000, presented by the Canadian Federation of University Women, has been won by Miss Alice Wilson, assistant palaeontologist of the Geological Survey, Ottawa. There were thirteen candidates, all university graduates, with the highest qualifications, and all anxious to continue advanced research work abroad. The committee regretted that only one scholarship could be awarded. The committee of selection consists of six women, resident in different parts of Canada, and convened by Mrs. Douglas Thom, of Regina. Miss Wilson is the first woman to be sent out on field work by the Geological Survey.

Prudence Says So

Reminders for Simple Teas—And an Apple Pudding Which Is Rather Unusual

Fig or Date Pudding (by request)

One quart of milk, one and half cups of chopped figs or dates, half a cup of sugar, three eggs, one cup of bread crumbs, three tablespoonsful of powdered sugar and one teaspoonful of vanilla. Heat the milk. Add the chopped figs or dates, the bread crumbs and sugar. Beat one egg white and add the three stiffly-beaten yolks. Fold in and bake until set. Make a meringue of the remaining whites and sugar, and when the pudding is cooked spread the meringue on top and let it brown in the oven. Serve with cream. This pudding may be eaten either hot or cold. The above quantities make a large dish, half the ingredients, using two eggs, is plenty for four people.

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Teas and Tea-Drinking Generally

The Lenten season brings with it a lull in the social functions, but there is always that delightfully informal tea hour which cannot be overlooked. We like to think of a tea in the more humble sense of three or four chairs pulled up to a gently flaming fireplace, of the softened glow from discreet lamps, the fragrance of the steaming cup rivaled by fragrant little breezes from a bowl of the first hyacinths, narcissus and a yellow daffodil or two; sandwiches and cookies to nibble at for that midafternoon empty feeling, lazy talk, and a full teapot at our elbows. But to proceed with more explicit things. This is a most excellent recipe for a tea-hour dainty:

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Ice-Box Cookies

Half a pound of almonds, one pound of butter, one cup of brown sugar, one cup white sugar, two eggs (unbeaten), five cups of flour, one teaspoon cinnamon, one teaspoon soda in a little hot water. Form into loaves after it has all been mixed together, and set on ice overnight. Slice into very thin wafers and bake. The above makes a very large quantity, and may be halved with much success.

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Date Bar

One cup of dates, one cup of white sugar, one cup of water. Boil these together until thick. Three-quarters of a cup of butter, one and a quarter cups of fine oatmeal, one and a quarter cups of flour, one and a half cups of brown sugar, one teaspoon baking soda. Crumb these together and put about three-quarters of this mixture into a baking tin. Spread the cooked dates on this and then put the remainder of the crumbs on top and pat it down with a spoon. Bake in a slow oven till brown.

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Orange Chocolate Filling

Those who like a subtle mixture of flavors will approve of this unusual cake filling. One and a half cups of icing sugar, one half tablespoons butter, two tablespoons orange juice, one tablespoon of grated orange rind, pulp of half an orange cut in small pieces, two squares melted chocolate. Cream butter and sugar together, add orange juice, grated rind, melted chocolate (melted in top of double boiler) and orange pulp. This same recipe may be used for an icing if the orange pulp is omitted.

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Brown Bread

Cut very thin and buttered this bread is very nice for tea. Two cups of Graham flour, one cup white flour, two tablespoons sugar, one tablespoon cocoanut, half a cup of golden syrup, one level teaspoon soda dissolved in one and a half cups of sour milk. Half a teaspoon salt, a quarter of a cup of raisins. Bake for an hour or longer if the oven is slow, but it should not be baked too quickly.

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Apple Pudding

A reader who has spent some time in Berlin sends this recipe which she learned while there and which is guaranteed to be excellent. Half a cup of butter, half a cup of sugar, three eggs, one and three-quarters cups of flour, two teaspoons baking powder, half a cup milk, one and a half pounds peeled apples (about six is enough). Cream butter and sugar, add egg yolks, the flour sifted with the baking powder and the milk. Stir until smooth and fold in lightly the beaten egg whites. Pour into a buttered and floured cake tin, filling it only about one-fourth full, as sufficient space must be allowed for the apple top. Slice the apples and place in rows on top of the cake mixture. Over the apples sprinkle two small cups of sugar, and two teaspoons cinnamon. Bake in a moderate oven for one hour and fifteen minutes. Serve hot with whipped cream.

KIWANIS CLUB WILL GIVE ENTERTAINMENT FOR VISITORS TONIGHT

Under arrangements made by the tourist trade group of the Chamber of Commerce, the Kiwanis Club will entertain citizens and visitors in the Crystal Garden tonight.

Vocal selections will be supplied by Messrs. T. Kelway, F. Partridge and W. Pickard, while various musical numbers will be played by the Kiwanis orchestra. Dancing will follow the entertainment. M. A. E. Humphries will take the chair.

Last Dramalogue of the Winter Series Is Given

Yesterday afternoon the last dramalogue of the Winter series took place at the Empress Hotel, the play, "Exodus," being read. Those taking part were: Mrs. E. C. Hayward, Mrs. Aldous, Miss Lorna Lewin, Comte Jean de Suzannet, Major Bullock-Webster, Mr. Phillips, Capt. Thorpe Douhble, Capt. Crompton and Capt. Aldhem White. Mrs. Guy Goddard read the explanations.

The play is a dramatic sequence in five episodes, written by Harold F. R. Rubinstein and Halcott Glover. The first episode, the Dreamer, shows Joseph at the height of his power ruling over Egypt. Episode two, the Ark of Bulrushes, introduces Moses, as found by the Egyptian Princess, Meris (Miss Lewin), and adopted as her own son. Episode three, Moses the Egyptian, shows the dawning of race consciousness in Moses as he realizes the hardships of the Jews under their Egyptian taskmasters. Episode four is the Passover, and portrays the first Passover and the departure of the Children of Israel from Egypt. Episode five, which is an anti-climax, was omitted.

Annual Banquet Held Of Senior C.G.I.T.

The first annual banquet of the "Live Wires," the senior C.G.I.T. group in the City Temple School of Religious Education, led by Mrs. Hammond, was held on Friday evening. The tables were decorated with the colors of the groups, mauve and green, and twenty-seven teen aged girls and their mothers and other guests were present.

The president, Miss Margaret Thomas acted as chairman. Toasts and responses were made as follows: "To Our Country," proposed by Miss Thomas and responded to by the singing of "O Canada"; "To Our Church and Pastor," proposed by Miss Daisy King and responded to by W. T. Bridge; "To Our Mothers," proposed by Miss Bernice Dewar and responded to by Mrs. Brown; "To the School of Religious Education," proposed by Miss Mary Laird and responded to by G. A. A. Hebden; "To Tuxis Boys," proposed by Miss Gwen Publow and responded to by A. L. Oakley; "To Our Daughters," proposed by Mrs. Clarke and responded to by Miss Ella Harrison.

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Fashions and Foibles

By Shirley Sharon

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The masqueraders are happiest when they are representing the cat's whiskers turning back to the juvenile period of rompers and all-day suckers. The romper makes an adorable fancy-dress costume and is very useful afterward for your class of eugenic—no, I mean esthetic—dancing. It should be made in checked gingham with white organdy collar, cuffs and sash, or in one of the new and lovely cretonnes or cotton prints with a plain material to match it. A ribbon tied around the head and stockings rolled below the knee and a mask are all you need to complete a gay and inexpensive costume.

Recital to Be Held

Mr. Jesse Longfield has arranged a vocal and instrumental recital to be held in St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church this evening, when those who will take part are as follows: Mr. J. Longfield, Mr. J. M. Robertson, Mr. A. Griffiths, Mrs. J. Longfield, Miss Winnie McDonald, Mrs. Wm. Wright, Mrs. Douglas B. McConnan and the choir. Mr. Jesse A. Longfield will be at the organ.

Lecture on Cathedral

A lecture on the proposed new cathedral will be given by the Venerable E. P. Laycock, Archdeacon of Columbia, in Strawberry Vale Hall on Wednesday at 8 p.m., illustrated by lantern slides. There will be no charge for admission, but children must be accompanied by their parents. There will be a collection.

Solicitor at Shoreditch County Court: How do you propose to pay? Debtor: I do not propose to pay; it is the plaintiff who proposes that I should.

NEW CHATELAINE OF GOVERNMENT HOUSE IS SCOTTISH GIRL

Social circles have been buzzing with expectancy as to who will fill the roll of chatelaine at Government House. The new Lieutenant-Governor, Hon. Robert Randolph Bruce, will take up his residence here tomorrow, and will be accompanied by his niece, Miss Helen McKenzie, of Edinburgh, Scotland, who is a daughter of his late sister. Miss McKenzie just finished her university course in Edinburgh before leaving with her uncle for Canada. She will have a host of new experiences opening up before her in her life at Victoria, at Mr Bruce's ranch at Invermere and in the many social duties which she will be called upon to fulfill.

AUTHORS' CLUB HEARS ADDRESS ON WRITER

Dr. Johnson Interests Audience With Account of Dr. John Brown's Life and Work

Members of the Authors' Club last night established an intimacy with Dr. John Brown, the eminent physician and essayist of the days of Sir Walter Scott, through the medium of an address delivered by Dr. Johnson, of Winnipeg, in the Victoria College auditorium.

Dr. Johnson expressed the opinion that if Dr. John Brown had been able to devote more of his time to literature he would have become one of the world's great writers, in fact, he believed that he actually was, in quality, one of the world's great writers, although his output was limited to only a few essays.

In years gone by, said Dr. Johnson, books were fewer, and consequently, in country places especially, were read over and over again until they became woven in with the lives of the readers, whereas the tendency of modern reading was superficiality, the public having an embarrassment of riches.

Extracts From Books

John Brown, said Dr. Johnson, was a great reader, and so thorough that he absorbed all the best out of his reading. He was a close and delightful friend to the greatest literary men of the day in Scotland. He was an able and sympathetic physician, but his true greatness lay in his ability to carry these qualities into his daily life. To his young colleagues he advocated a wider culture than that to be acquired exclusively in professional study.

As a charming conclusion to his much-enjoyed address, Dr. Johnson read typical extracts from the essays of John Brown.

Annual Board Meeting Held

Prior to the lecture the annual Board meeting of the Authors' Club was held, at which the retiring president, Mrs. A. de B. Shaw, was elected honorary president, and Mr. Donald Fraser acclaimed president. The following officers were also elected: Vice-chairman, Mrs. Henderson; secretary, Mrs. Ebbs Gansvan; treasurer, Miss M. Eugenie Perry, executive, Mr. C. C. Pemberton, Mrs. Hutchinson, Mrs. Rathom and Major Longstaff.

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NEWS OF THE SPORTING WORLD

Cougars Make Sure Of Play-Off Place by Downing Maroons

Lester Patrick Scores the Winning Goal Which Cinches Victoria's Chance to Battle for Hockey Championship—Also Has Distinction of Incurring Only Penalty of Game

VANCOUVER, March 1.—Victoria scored twice in the third period of tonight's game against Vancouver, just sufficient to win the final scheduled contest of the Western Hockey League season here against the Maroons, two to one. For nearly forty-five minutes the Cougars battled without scoring, but finally Oatman and Patrick broke through the local defence for counters. Vancouver scored their goal in the second period, there being no score in the first session.

LESTER PATRICK

Who for the third time this season has been the "hero" of a pond scuggamant. It was his score in the closing moments of the game against Vancouver last night which enabled the Cougars to beat the Maroons, jump into a tie for first place with Edmonton, and make certain of a play-off berth. The last time Victoria played in Vancouver it was Lester who bagged success for his team, on that occasion registering the only tally of the night.

It was a good game for Victoria to win. In the second period the locals had a big edge, but the Cougars came back strong in the last frame. It was one of the best games of the season.

Both teams battled hard in the opening period and both goalies were called upon to exhibit their best efforts. Shots on goal were fairly even, the Maroons firing ten and the visitors nine. The only penalty was handed out to Lester Patrick.

The local score was netted by Arbour on Boucher's pass in the second period after they had played the same combination on Holmes twice. The Vancouver defence, with Reinikka as the spearhead replacing Mickey MacKay, who is in the hospital with a bad knee, held tight and brushed aside repeated three-man attacks.

Victoria started the proceedings in the last period and Oatman tied up the play in four minutes after Lehman had cleared but dropped the puck and it rolled in the net. Play went back and forth until three minutes before time, when Patrick sailed through to beat Lehman and thus won for his side the second time in two encounters between the two teams.

Penalties

First period—Patrick, two minutes.

Second period—Loughlin, Connolly (2), Mackey, Walker, Reinikka, Foyston and Arbour, two minutes each.

Third period—None.

Summary

First period—No score.

Second period—1, Vancouver, Arbour from Boucher, 4:28.

Third period—2, Victoria, Oatman, 4:26; 3, Victoria, Patrick, 13:09.

The Line-Up

Victoria	Position	Vancouver
Holmes	goal	Lehman
Loughlin	defence	Moran
Halderson	defence	Mackey
Walker	forward	Reinikka
Fredrickson	forward	Arbour
Foyston	forward	Boucher
Anderson	sub	Connolly
Hart	sub	Bostrum
Oatman	sub	Waite
Patrick	sub	

Referee, Meeking.

Cougars Sitting Pretty

SHEIKS STILL ON TOP

	P.	W.	L.	T.	F.	A.	Pts.
Saskatoon	28	16	11	1	85	59	33
Victoria	28	16	10	4	82	50	32
Edmonton	27	16	11	0	75	70	32
Portland	27	11	14	2	73	84	24
Vancouver	27	10	15	2	60	74	22
Calgary	27	9	15	3	66	74	21

LAST NIGHT'S RESULTS

Victoria 2, Vancouver 1.
Saskatoon 7, Portland 0.

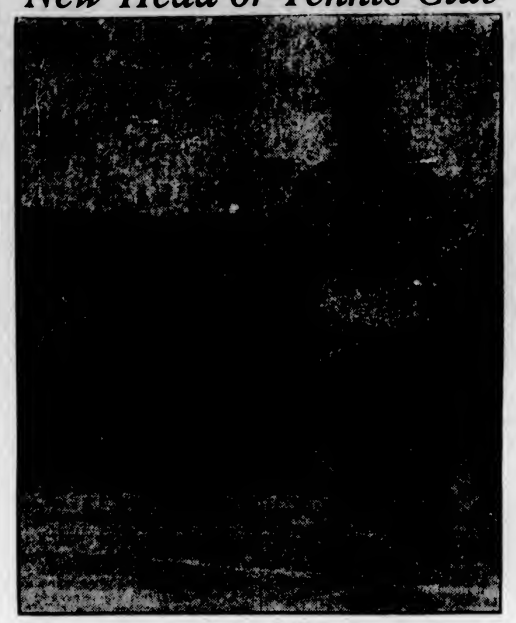
COMING MATCHES

Tomorrow: Portland at Edmonton.
Thursday: Calgary at Saskatoon.
Friday: Vancouver at Victoria.
Saturday: Portland at Calgary.
Monday: Vancouver at Edmonton; Portland at Saskatoon.
Tuesday Next: Victoria at Calgary (final game of schedule).

BILL COOK HAS BIG LEAD

	G.	A.	Pts.
W. Cook, Saskatoon	27	9	36
Irvin, Portland	27	2	29
Denenney, Saskatoon	15	12	27
Jagne, Edmonton	16	5	21
Hay, Portland	14	8	22
Keats, Edmonton	18	6	23
Fredrickson, Victoria	14	7	21
Boucher, Vancouver	14	6	20
Oliver, Calgary	12	8	20
MacKay, Vancouver	13	4	17
Stanley, Edmonton	12	4	16
Wilson, Calgary	10	6	16
Briden, Calgary	13	2	15
Walker, Victoria	7	8	15
Sparrow, Edmonton	10	4	14
Trapp, Portland	4	10	14
F. Cook, Saskatoon	9	4	13
Dutton, Calgary	9	4	13
Arbour, Vancouver	8	5	13
Sheppard, Edmonton	5	7	12
L. Patrick, Victoria	5	7	12
Scott, Saskatoon	10	2	12
Reinikka, Vancouver	10	1	11
Shore, Edmonton	7	3	10
C. Loughlin, Victoria	7	3	10
Oatman, Victoria	8	2	10
Duncan, Calgary	7	3	10
Gordon, Saskatoon	8	1	9
McVeigh, Portland	7	2	9
Hart, Victoria	6	3	9
Kelse, Saskatoon	1	8	9
Dutkowski, Portland	4	5	9
Starkey, Vancouver	8	0	8
Cameron, Saskatoon	8	0	8
Foyston, Victoria	5	3	8
J. Anderson, Victoria	6	1	8
McCormick, Portland	6	0	6
E. Anderson, Edmonton	5	1	6
Macfarlane, Calgary	5	1	6
Doraty, Portland	4	1	5
Townsend, Portland	3	2	5
Noble, Vancouver	5	0	5
Rourregault, Saskatoon	4	0	4
Gardiner, Calgary	3	1	4
B. Boucher, Edmonton	2	2	4
Halderson, Victoria	3	1	4
Meeking, Victoria	1	3	4
Headley, Calgary	1	1	2
Connolly, Vancouver	2	0	2
Waite, Vancouver	0	1	1
Traub, Portland	1	0	1
Dalman, Calgary	0	1	1
Bostrum, Vancouver	0	1	1

New Head of Tennis Club



MR. H. G. GARRETT

Who was elected president of the Victoria Lawn Tennis Club at the annual meeting last night. Mr. Garrett is a well-known figure in tennis circles and has held many championships in his time. He has previously served in various capacities in the club and was president in 1921.

Tilden Turns Tables on His Rival From France

Defeats Jean Borotra in Five-Set Match—United States Win International Series From France by Three to Two—Vincent Richards Is Overwhelmed by Rene Lacoste

NEW YORK, March 1.—America won the international indoor tennis match from France today, three matches to two, when Wm. T. Tilden staged a whirlwind rally to defeat Jean Borotra, 6-4, 6-10, 11-13, 6-1, 6-3, in the fifth and deciding encounter of the three-day series.

The American champion's victory in a two-and-half-hour struggle, came after Rene Lacoste, French ace, had overwhelmed Vincent Richards in three straight sets, 6-3, 6-1, 6-3, in the other contest of the day.

America won the doubles match yesterday, while Lacoste beat Tilden and Richards vanquished Borotra in the opening matches Thursday.

A Clean Sweep

Lacoste's victory was the second straight set triumph he has scored over Richards within eight days, and by far the most decisive conquest the young French ace has registered in his sensational American invasion. The steady machine-like force of his driving game broke up Richards' defence and crushed the young American's gamest efforts. The victory brought the series count to two-all in matches. It also gave Lacoste a clean sweep in the singles.

There was no let-up in Lacoste's nearly accurate attack in the third set which he took at 6-3, to clinch the match. Richards rallied and held his own with Lacoste for the first six games, but yielded to his rival's forcing tactics and dropped the final three games in short order. The American got only three points in the last three games as Lacoste's applied his finishing punch, breaking up Richards' service.

Savage Attack

Tilden rushed to the Seventh Regiment Armory from a matinee of his Broadway show in order to take the court against Borotra. By the time he got through he barely had enough interval to speed back to the theatre, but he had given nearly 7,000 fans a thrill as he came back with a savage and relentless attack to beat back the "bounding Basque," whose own brilliancy had given him a commanding lead in a brace of tensely fought deuce sets.

Borotra's scintillating overhead play and his fearless attack at the net enabled him to offset Tilden's hard driving through the first three sets, but the effort of gaining this advantage apparently robbed the Frenchman of his reserve stamina. His usual dash was gone in the final two sets and he seemed almost helpless under Tilden's terrific barrage.

Stroke analysis of the Tilden-Borotra match shows how closely the battle for points was waged. Here is the recapitulation:

	A.	P.	L.	N.	O.	DF.	EP.	Er'rs
Tilden	16	46	47	12	3	62	62	143
Borotra	7	71	61	74	8	58	66	146

Sheiks Regain First Place in Hockey League

Defeat Portland Rosebuds by Score of Seven to Nothing—Play Fairly Even in First Half—Rain of Goals in Last Period

SASKATOON, March 1.—Saskatoon Sheiks regained first place—temporarily, at least—in the Western Hockey League by defeating Portland Rosebuds, 7-0, here tonight. It was the second shutout registered by the locals on their home ice this Winter. Despite the wide divergency in the scores, the game was far from one-sided as the tally would indicate. For the first period and half way through the second, it was as even a game as could be wished for. After that the Portland defence cracked.

A dazzling attack, coupled with great work on the defence, gave the Sheiks their victory tonight. It was only in the last four minutes of play that the Buds forced their way through close to Hainsworth when they were desperately striving for a goal to avert a shutout, but the diminutive goalie was at his best in the closing moments of the game and outguessed the attacking force time after time.

The Sheiks led by one at the close of the first period, through Denenney's goal. "Bill" Cook got a pair in the second period to futher increase the margin. In the last twenty minutes, Scott scored twice, F. Cook once and "Bill" Cook again to make up the seven goals.

The Rosebuds suffered a lack of breaks also and although they had very few chances to score, they failed to make the most of their opportunities.

Summary

First period—1, Saskatoon, Denenney, 7:20.

Second period—2, Saskatoon, W. Cook, 9:42; 3, Saskatoon, W. Cook, 7:38.

Third period—4, Saskatoon, Scott, 1:24; 5, Saskatoon, W. Cook from Denenney, 4:22; 6, Saskatoon, Scott from W. Cook, 9:16; 7, Saskatoon, W. Cook, :25.

Penalties

First period—McCusker, Gordon.

Second period—Townsend, F. Cook, Trapp.

Third period—Doraty.

The Line-Up

Saskatoon	Position	Portland
Hainsworth	goal	McCusker
Cameron	defence	Trapp
Reise	defence	Townsend
W. Cook	wing	Dutkowski
Denenney	centre	Irvin
Scott	sub	Hay
F. Cook	sub	McCormick
Rouregault	sub	McVeigh
Gordon	sub	Doraty
Moffett	sub	

Referee, Mickey Ion.

Favorites Survive In Opening Rounds Of Florida Tennis

TAMPA, Fla., March 1.—Favorites survived without difficulty in the matches played in the opening here today of the Dixie tennis championship, Florida's Winter tennis classic.

Alfred H. Chapin, jr., thirteenth ranking player of the United States, defeated C. J. Donal, of Chicago, 6-1, 6-2.

S. Howard Voshell, another ranking player, defeated James Keith, a Tampa junior player, 6-1 and 6-2.

Rugby Union Meeting

There will be a meeting of the Victoria Rugby Union this evening at 5 o'clock in the offices of the secretary, Union Building, at 5 o'clock. All teams are asked to have representatives present.

Farrell Is Champion

TAMPA, Fla., March 1.—Johnny Farrell, Tampa, won the Florida open golf championship here yesterday. He defeated Bobby Cruickshank by one stroke in their eighteen-hole play-off. The scores were 72 and 73.

Coaffee Wins Two Races From Hubbard In Y.M.C.A. Exhibition

CINCINNATI, Ohio, March 1.—Cyril Coaffee, of Winnipeg, running for Illinois A.C., defeated De Hart Hubbard, nationally known negro, twice here Saturday night in exhibition dashes staged in connection with the annual Y.M.C.A. athletic carnival. In the fifty-yard dash, Coaffee ran the distance in 5 2-5 seconds, beating Hubbard six feet. His time for sixty yards was 6 2-5 seconds, and his margin over the negro one-half foot. Each time was 1-5 second slower than the world's record.

Miss Wills Will Rest After Play at Cannes

MENTONE, France, March 1.—Helen Wills drew a bye in the Mentone lawn tennis tournament, opening today.

Miss Wills announced today that she will take a rest after the Cannes tournament, the third week in March, going to Florence, Italy, to attend a school for painting and drawing throughout April.

New Westminster Girls Win From Varsconas

NEW WESTMINSTER, March 1.—In the fifth and concluding game of their visit to the Pacific Coast, Edmonton Varsconas battled to an 11-11 draw with the local "Y" girls team at the Y.M.C.A. tonight. The New Westminster girls led by one point at half-time, when the score was 6-5.

Immediately following the game the Edmonton team entrained on their return trip.

MR. GARRETT HEADS LAWN TENNIS CLUB

VETERAN PLAYER IS ELECTED PRESIDENT AT ANNUAL MEETING LAST NIGHT

Canadian Championship Tournament Will Be Held Here During Week of July 5 to 10

Mr. H. G. Garrett, one of the most widely known tennis players in British Columbia and present holder of the Provincial veterans' championship, was elected president of the Victoria Lawn Tennis Club for the coming year at the annual meeting held last night in the Belmont Building. The new president has been associated with the club for several years and was head in 1921. Rev. William Carroll was elected first vice-president and Mr. J. G. Brown second vice-president. A large number of tennis enthusiasts attended the meeting.

The last year was one of the most successful that the club had ever experienced, according to the report of Secretary St. L. K. Verley. Numerous tournaments were held, including the British Columbia championship, and each had drawn large entry lists and competition was exceedingly keen. This year, with the Canadian tennis championship being held, another banner season is expected.

The Canadian tennis championships tournament, which will be held at the Victoria Tennis Club from July 5 to 10, is expected to draw some of the finest tennis players in Canada and the United States. The Eastern Provinces are co-operating in every way possible and are making arrangements for having their best players take part.

Support is being asked from the public in putting over this championship. It will be the first time this city has ever been given the tournament and the club has undertaken a big obligation and heavy liability in bringing the championships here.

The following were the officers elected:

Honorary president — His Honor Lieutenant-Governor Randolph Bruce.

Honorary vice-presidents — Hon. Walter C. Nichol, Mrs. James Dunsmuir, Mr. C. F. Todd, Mrs. R. P. Rutchart, Dr. A. R. Hudson, Sir Henry Thornton, Mayor Pendray and His Honor Judge Lampman.

President—Mr. H. G. Garrett.

First vice-president—Rev. William Carroll.

Second vice-president—Mr. J. G. Brown.

Executive committee—Messrs. H. S. Plett, C. S. Collison, F. W. B. Barber-Starkey, H. M. McGivrin, Dr. Hermann Robertson, Mrs. A. E. Hodgins and Mrs. T. H. Leeming.

Mr. St. L. K. Verley remains secretary-treasurer.

SETTLERS AT CLIVER WANT GOLF COURSE

Minister of Lands Asked to Set Aside Land for Links and Is Agreeable

VANCOUVER, March 1.—Golf is playing a more important part daily, not only in urban centres, but in the rural districts. Hon. T. D. Pattullo, Minister of Lands, who is just back from a trip to the Interior, says he was asked by the settlers under the soldier settlement board plan at Oliver to set aside land for golf purposes.

"We are not going to equip a golf course for them," said the Minister, "but we will leave sufficient land there for them and, I understand it is their intention to establish a golf course themselves."

High Schools Soccer Teams Meet Today In Thompson Cup Final

The final game between the Victoria High School and the Oak Bay High School in the soccer series for the Thompson Cup will be played today at 3:30 on the Oak Bay ground.

Racing at Tijuana

TIJUANA, March 1.—Results of racing here yesterday follow:

First race, one and one-sixteenth miles—1, Keala, 108, Halliburton, $9.60, $4.60, $3.40; 2, Nona Marie, 85, Jones, $4.20, $3.60; 3, Polite, 108, White, $4. Time, 1:49 1-5.

Second race, four and one-half furlongs—1, Ike Harvey, 109, Jones, $24.80, $10.80, $4.60; 2, Forhidden, 109, Pendergast, $14, $7.60; 3, Harrigan's Heir, 112, Whittler, $4.60. Time, :55 3-5.

Third race, four and one-half furlongs—1, Smart Horse, 111, Burns, $10.80, $5.20, $3.40; 2, Mary Dear, 110, Bucks, $4.60, $3.80; 3, Battle Bent, 112, G. Collins, $8. Time, :55 2-5.

Fourth race, Club House course—1, Sir Stephen, 99, West, $32, $14, $4.40; 2, Waldemar, 95, Peternel, $8.60, $3.80; 3, Clermont Jr., 99, Munden, $3.20. Time, 1:37.

Fifth race, one mile—1, Carlaris, 112, Kelsey, $3.80, $2.80, $2.60; 2, Light Carbine, 112, Burns, $2.80, $2.60; 3, Crossbow, 100, White, $3.60. Time, 1:39 4-5.

Sixth race, one mile—1, Dolly Seth, 117, Laidley, $8.20, $5.80, $5; 2, Spanish Star, 117, West, $10.80, $7.20; 3, Ruth Gold, 117, Kelsey, $8.90. Time, 1:39 3-5.

Seventh race, six furlongs—1, Sunnyland, 116, Crees, $4.20, $3.60, $2.20; 2, Kingman, 111, Taylor, $3.60, $2.60; 3, Adieu, 95, Munden, $2.20. Time, 1:12 3-5.

Eighth race, six furlongs—1, Golden Red, 108, White, $19, $10, $5.60; 2, Brazos, 108, Munden, $4.60, $3.40; 3, Shasta Rox, 103, Crees, $5.60. Time, 1:14 1-5.

Ninth race, one mile and seventy yards—1, Stump Jr., 107, Bucks, $32, $14, $8; 2, Perhaps, 110, Jones, $14, $7; 3, Vilna, 94, Jackson, $3.20. Time, 1:45 3-5.

Overnight Entries

First race, four furlongs—Shasta Irish, 105, Shasta La, 105; Marjory Seth, 105; Duran, 110; Jane Elizabeth, 110; War Salam, 110; Flowing Gold, 110; Weather Vane, 110; Ruffles, 110; Kamakani, 115.

Second race, four and one-half furlongs—Miss Lane, 100; Etta D., 101; Rosa Atkin, 101; Tulameen Kid, 101; Mr. Ruby, 102; Chief Sponsor, 103; Rapid Traveler, 103; Old Red, 103; Rose Roberts, 106; Smart Horse, 107; Baleful, 108; Lord Valentine, 110; Radiant Light, 113.

Third race, four and one-half furlongs—List of Style, 100; Wiklup Papoose, 100; Alice Harvey, 101; Doug. H. Johnston, 102; Skylark, 103; Step by Step, 107; Twin Fox, 108; Big Wig, 108; Nick Klein, 108; General Fryer, 108; Cancellation, 111; Mayor House, 111; Lucky Cat, 113.

Fourth race, one mile and seventy yards—Antiquity, 106; Biddledee, 106; Quecreek, 108; Fincastle, 108; Krekzunas, 108; Peter Pierson, 108; Harry Maxim, 110; Mannikin II, 111; Pretty Malley, 111; Ross R., 116.

Fifth race, one mile and seventy yards—Shasta Donna, 86; Little Phil, 93; Kentucky Smiles, 106; Plowsteel, 108; Full of Fun, 108; Morro Castle, 108; Star Cloudy, 113; Hal Wright, 113, Captain Max, 113; Lighter, 113.

Sixth race, six furlongs—Julia Lee, 106; Porter Ella, 106; Mary Dear, 106; Broncho Girl, 99; Our Boy, 108; Jay Roberts, 108; Golden Red, 108; Seawrack, 108; Brass Band, 113; Dumhfounder, 113.

Seventh race, one and one-quarter miles—Mush On, 88; Seth's Memory, 93; Reap, 95; Ruban Rouge, 105; Kingman, 106; Pathan, 106; Prince Til Til, 115.

Eighth race, Club House course—Al Kripp, 97; Shafa, 100; El Cid, 101; Wedding Prince, 106; Rosemint, 107; Rallini, 108; James B. Brown, 109; Perhaps, 112; St. Martins, 112; Wood Lake, 112.

Ninth race, five furlongs—Traproc, 84; Dewbank, 97; Serena, 103; Headache, 98; Lavigne, 98; Rubinette, 98; LaBelle, 104; Ege, 110; Kallko, 94; Finis Glorious, 101; Tallteann, 109; Parnell, 112.

ROLLER HOCKEY

Keen Games Expected Tonight in League Contests—Line-Ups Are Strengthened

The schedule of roller hockey games for this week is as follows:

Tonight—90 lbs.: V.I. Midgets vs. Fernwood Beavers; Spring Ridge Aces vs. Foul Bay. 110 lbs.: Hill's Corner vs. Foul Bay Monarchs.

Saturday night—90 lbs. Hill's Corner vs. Finlayson Maroons; V.I. Midgets vs. Willows Canucks; Rock Bay vs. Spring Ridge Aces.

It is expected that two of tonight's games will prove to be very keenly contested, as in the 90 lb. game between the V.I. Midgets and Beavers neither team has lost a game to date. The V.I. team, who hold the Semi-Ready Cup, emblematic of the world's championship, are now playing at top form and will field a strong team for tonight's game. The Beavers, who played last Saturday night, are one of the strongest midget teams in the city, and it is expected that they will make every effort to register a win over the champions.

The Foul Bay Monarchs (world's 110 lb. champions) and Hill's Corner game in the 110 lb. division should prove to be a thrilling contest. The last time these teams met the Foul Bay boys won with a small margin of two goals. Both teams have strengthened their line-ups for tonight's game, and a real good tussle should be witnessed.

England and Ireland Win International Rugby Games

Score at Twickenham Against France Is Eleven to Nil With King George a Spectator—Scottish Beaten Three to Nil

TWICKENHAM, Eng., March 1.—England defeated France in their annual international rugby match, 11 to 0, here Saturday afternoon.

The series began in 1906. England has won seventeen games and France none, one being drawn.

The match attracted a crowd of 40,000 people and was attended by King George, who was introduced to and shook hands with all the players. He received a wonderful reception. The cheering lasted several minutes.

England, facing the wind, gained possession after the first scrum. France attacked strongly. Cassayet had a clear opening, but passed to Piteu, who missed the ball.

England continued to press and Aslett got over for a try, which Francis did not convert. From a scrum, Young started a good movement, but Holliday was unable to convert.

After turning round France obtained possession more frequently, but the backs, unfortunately for the team, kicked too much. After twenty minutes, Kittermaster got a try, which Francis converted. Play slackened towards the end, but just before the whistle, Cassayet burst through and was only down by Gibb two feet from the English line.

Ireland Wins

EDINBURGH, March 1.—Ireland defeated Scotland in an international rugby match Saturday 3 to 0.

The games began in 1877, and of the games played Scotland has won twenty-one and Ireland eleven, and three were drawn.

The Scots attacked vigorously at the beginning of the game. A dash by Smith, and a narrowly-missed penalty goal by Drysdale, raised the crowd to fever pitch. The Irish had a chance, but the ball was held too long and the runner tackled. When the half time whistle blew the two teams were engaged in a desperate struggle in midfield.

Ireland opened the second half with a great attack. Sugden cross-kicked, but Smith luckily dribbled into touch. Ireland was penalized, but soon pressed again.

Near the end the Irish brilliantly took the initiative and a desperate struggle ensued. Waddell was badly injured in a collision with Browne and carried off the field.

With only a minute to go Gage got over after a clever piece of passing with Stephenson.

Wales and Scotland Win In International Soccer

Former Beats England by Three Goals to One at Crystal Palace—Scotland Whitewashes Ireland With Score of Four to Nil

LONDON, March 1.—Wales defeated England in an international soccer match today, 3-1. The series began in 1879, and the result is: England won 30; Wales won 8, drawn 8.

The game was played on the grounds of the Crystal Palace club. Twenty thousand attended.

The teams: England—Pym (Bolton Wanderers); Creswell (Sunderland), Wadsworth (Huddersfield); Edwards (Leeds), Townrow (Orient), Green (Sheffield United); Urwin (Newcastle), Kelly (Sunderland), Hullock (Bury), Walker (Aston Villa), Demwick (Tottenham).

Wales — Gray (Oldham); Russell (Plymouth), Jenkins (Brighton); S. Davies (West Bromwich), Bullen (Plymouth), John (Arsenal), W. Davies (Cardiff), Len Davies (Cardiff), Fowler (Swansea), C. Jones (Notts Forest), Vizard (Bolton).

In the first minute Urwin centred nicely for Kelly to send in a hard shot, which Gray cleared.

England made a second attack, but it got nowhere. Wales forced the first corner but W. Davies shot wide. After a period of fast play Fowler scored with a left foot shot. This was three minutes from the interval.

In the early stages of the second half England threw in a number of assaults. After twelve minutes Urwin placed the ball neatly and Walker headed it through. Three minutes later W. Davies scored. The third counter fell to Wales, after seventeen minutes of play, Fowler netting with Pym out of the goal.

Scotland Wins

GLASGOW, March 1.—In an international soccer game between Scotland and Ireland here Saturday, the former won, 4 to 0.

The series began in 1884, and Scotland has won thirty-three games and Ireland two. Three were drawn.

Scotland won the toss. After thirteen minutes Gallagher scored for Scotland. Six minutes from the interval Cunningham goaled with a left foot drive from the penalty.

Immediately after resuming Bothwell got the Irish forwards down field and Curran turned the ball into the goal. Harper did a sensational bit of clearing. After fifteen minutes Gallagher scored. Six minutes later Gallagher again scored, while Jackson netted a fifth, which was disallowed because he had his hands on an opposing back when rising to head the ball.

Saturday Soccer

THE Veterans and the Wests soccer teams will meet on Saturday in a Jackson Cup semi-final match at the Royal Athletic Park, at 3 p.m. McMillan will referee, Stokes and Payne will be linesmen. Thirty minutes overtime will be played if necessary. James Island and Esquimalt will meet at James Island, with Saunders as referee.

At last night's meeting of the Lower Island Football Association executive it was decided that the points for last Saturday's unplayed games should go to the Wests and Esquimalt by default of the Sons of England and Victoria United respectively. The James Island-United Services game has been set back, to be played at a later date.

J.B.A.A. Annual Meeting

The annual meeting of the J.B.A.A. will be held tonight at 8 o'clock in the Belleville Street headquarters. All members are asked to be present.

Sportive Punches

—By the "Old 'Un"—

Well, friends and fellow-sinners, there was certainly very little that was leonine about the entrance of MARCH this year.

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If the proverb is right it looks as though we were due for a positively terrific storm somewhere about March 31, doesn't it?

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Could anything have been more lamblike than the appearance of the month with the reputation of being the moodiest of the lot?

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Yea, verily, the lambkin a-gambolling on the lea, and the golfer is a gambling on the green, and the meadowlark is a-larking on the meadow and the skylark is a-singing in the sky.

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Indeed and in sooth SPRING has came. We don't quite remember whether March is classed as a Spring month on the calendar. Lately we have ceased to tell the time of year in Victoria by the calendar, but whether the calendar says so or no Spring has undoubtedly came.

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Ask the fisherman. March 1 is set for the opening of the trout fishing season this year, and, although of yore we were wont to think that this was all too early for the business, who shall say now, after the mere apology for a Winter that we have had, that the trout too will not have hurried things a bit and become fit rather sooner than usual in the calendar year to afford the gentle angler the sport which his soul craves?

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And should the angler think that perchance it is yet a little early to try and tempt the wily cutthroat with the artificial fly a few minutes in the garden will probably serve to convince him otherwise.

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For the insect life is on the stir. The bee is getting busy and the bug of every kind is rejoicing in the vigor left in him and his family by a frostless Winter.

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An that we had not to attend to our lawful occasions elsewhere for the next six days at any rate, we ourselves might well be tempted to try a MARCH BROWN or a GOVERNOR in the lower reaches of the river to see if perchance there were not some early trout arrivals from the ocean ready to snap up a tasty morsel or two of fresh water fare.

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But, alas, as it is instead of "Studying to be quiet and go a-fishing," we must unfortunately study to be quiet though we cannot go a-fishing.

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But for those of ye who are more fortunate we hope that March will continue lamblike until well on towards the due day for that lion-like exit, and that in the meantime you may many a time and oft rejoice in "tight lines" and a full basket.

ROUNDING THIRD

by Hugh A. Jennings

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CHAPTER LXXIV

An Underground Fielder

The most peculiar out I ever saw was made before I ever played professional baseball. It came in a game in the mining regions of Pennsylvania and I was catching. The batter hit a fly to centre field and the fielder went back to the edge of a mine cave, jumped and caught the ball, holding it aloft as he disappeared.

Everybody rushed to the cave, but there was no trace of the centre fielder. The earth had evidently swallowed him. While we were standing there, we were startled by a loud shout of "I got it." We turned in the direction of the voice and there was the centre fielder, emerging from another mine cave 100 feet away. He was holding up the ball to prove that he made the catch. The umpire who had joined the group at the other mine cave, ruled the batter out.

The centre fielder had dropped into a tunnel. He saw a light ahead followed it and soon reached the other opening. In the days of the Orioles the clubhouse on the Baltimore grounds was located just outside the right field foul lines and about twenty feet behind first base. Tommy Murphy, fresh from Ireland and speaking with a distinct brogue, was our groundkeeper and was just getting wise to the ways of baseball, but he knew enough as the following incident will show.

During games Tommy used to sit on the steps in front off the clubhouse. In a game with Pittsburgh, Fred Ely, playing short for the Pirates, made a wild throw to first. The ball went high and made straight for the clubhouse. It took a bound just in front of the steps, passed by Murphy and into the building. Murphy jumped to his feet, bounded through the doorway, slammed the door shut and locked it. He refused to open the door until two Orioles that were on the bases, and the batter, had all scored. Then he permitted the Pittsburgh first baseman to come inside and recover the ball.

Frank Shugart, who played shortstop for Washington, made one of the record freak throws of baseball. It happened with bases filled and none out. The infield was pulled in to make a play at the plate and cut off the run. The batter hit a sharp grounder to Shugart. Seeing a chance for a double, Shugart grabbed the ball and fired in the direction of the plate, but he was over-anxious and hurried the throw too much. The result was a wild heave. The ball passed over the catcher's head and struck in the grandstand behind the plate. The ball passed through this hole. Before it could be recovered four runs crossed the plate.

It was Tommy McCarthy, a famous outfielder with Boston, who developed the art of trapping a short fly with runners on first and second or with bases filled, and making a double play, instead of catching the ball off the ground and retiring only one man. It is the same play that Ty Cobb and other outfielders have used in modern baseball.

George Van Haltern, playing centre field for Baltimore, tried to imitate McCarthy. Val Haltern tried the play with bases filled and none out. The batter hit the ball to short centre and Val Haltren, after faking a catch, got down to take the ball on the short bound, but instead of hopping into his cupped hands the ball shot over his shoulder and before it could be recovered and relayed back to the infield it had become a home run, four men scoring.

Val Haltren had not taken into consideration the condition of the ground. It was almost as hard as brick, due to a long drought. That attempt cost Van Haltern his job, for soon after Baltimore traded him to Pittsburg for Joe Kelley, a grand swap for Baltimore as Kelley later proved.

One of the queerest home runs on record was made several years ago. John McGraw was taking a team to Cuba for a series of exhibition games. Some of his players had preceded the regular squad and were already in Cuba awaiting McGraw and the others. McGraw decided to play a few games in the far south. He had only eight men with him and so he would pick up a local celebrity and fill his line-up. In Kay West they advised shim to get a certain player and McGraw hired him for the day. One look showed that he know nothing about baseball, but the game was scheduled, nine men must be on the field and McGraw had to use the extra man. He placed him in right field. In one inning the Key West team filled bases. The batter hit an easy fly to right. The home boy circled under the fly and finally tried to duck. He started ducking too late. The ball struck him on the head and bounded over the short right field fence for a four-bagger, cleaning the bases.

COLWOOD GOLF TEAM WINS FROM UPLANDS

Home Club Has Decided Advantage in Match Played on Sunday on Former's Course

The team match played on Sunday on the Colwood links between teams of twenty-four a side representing Colwood and Uplands Golf Clubs resulted in a decisive victory for the home club.

Price and Darcus, the two first-string men for Uplands, each won their singles match. Price taking all three points from Frank Thomas, and Darcus allowing Bernie Schwengers half a point. They also won their four-ball match in the afternoon, taking three of the four points. Jack Matson, back on his game, made three points for Colwood, going round in 73, against Jack Savident, Uplands' mighty hitter, and Conrad Schwengers also took all points possible from Pretty. The Colwood team proved the better balanced, only three of them being whitewashed, while seven of the Uplands players registered nothing. Leith, of Uplands, was in fine form in his morning match in which he defeated W. P. D. Pemberton. Leith was round the difficult Colwood course in 75.

The total in the singles was Colwood, 42½; Uplands, 29½.

In the afternoon, the home players showed the better team work and increased their advantage very considerably, the grand total of points being Colwood 81½, Uplands 38½. The individual match results follow. Uplands players being named first:

A. V. Price 3, F. Thomas 0.
R. J. Darcus 2½, B. P. Schwengers ½.
J. Savident 0, J. R. M. Matson 3.
G. Pretty 0, C. P. W. Schwengers 3.
P. Edmunds 1, J. H. Wilson 2.
R. L. Challoner 0, H. Lineham 3.
H. F. Hepburn 2, H. P. Hodges 1.
J. E. Wilson 0, J. N. Findlay 3.
A. C. Falk ½, A. T. Goward 2½.
H. E. Hunnings 1½ G. Y. Simpson 1½.
W. G. Leith 3, W. P. D. Pemberton 0.
A. F. Thomas 3, J. M. Wood 0.
S. L. Feesey 2, W. W. Hall 1.
W. H. M. Haldane ½, G. Terry 2½.
R. Peachy 2½, T. C. S. Gallini ½.
F. Jeffrey 2, T. Lampman 1.
D. A. Macdonald ½, Dr. Bryant 2½.
L. Glazan 0, A. Muir 3.
V. R. Gravlin 0, W. S. Ellis 3.
A. D. Findlay 1, E. W. Ismay 2.
W. A. R. Hadley ½, H. A. Hincks 2½.
D. M. Gordon 0, T. S. McPherson 3.
O. C. Royal 2½, Dr. George Hall ½.
A. Youngman 1½, J. H. Richardson 1½.

Fourballs

A. V. Price and R. J. Darcus 3, F. Thomas and B. F. Schwengers 1.
J. Savident and G. Pretty 0, J. R. M. Matson and C. P. W. Schwengers 4.
P. Edmunds and R. L. Cahlloner 0, J. H. Wilson and H. Lineham 4.
H. F. Hepburn and J. E. Wilson 0, H. P. Hodges and J. N. Findlay 4.
A. C. Falk and H. E. Hunnings 2, A. T. Goward and G. Y. Simpson 2.
W. G. Leith and A. F. Thomas 0, W. P. D. Pemberton and J. M. Wood 4.
S. L. Feesey and W. H. M. Haldane 2, W. H. Hall and G. Terry 2.
R. Peachy and F. Jeffrey 0, T. C. S. Gallini and T. Lampman 4.
D. A. Macdonald and L. Glazan 1, Dr. Bryant and A. Muir 3.
V. R. Gravlin and A. D. Findlay ½, W. S. Ellis and E. W. Ismay 3½.
W. A. R. Hadley and D. M. Gordon 0, H. A. Hincks and T. S. McPherson 4.
O. C. Royal and A. Youngman ½, Dr. George Hall and J. H. Richardson 3½.

Badminton Finals

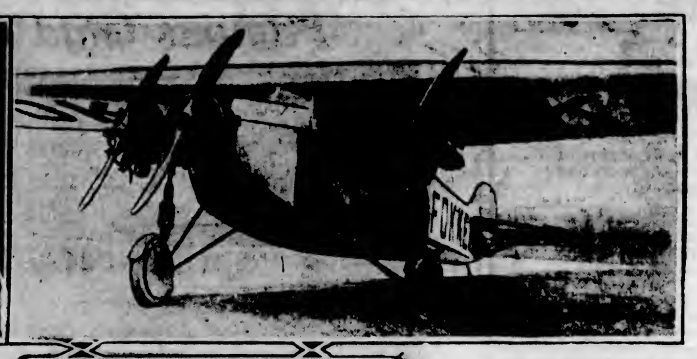
To the Sporting Editor:

I am writing to ask you if you would be good enough to correct the following in your report of the finals of the men's singles and men's doubles in the V.I. badminton championships. You say that Forsythe beat Finlayson on superior condition. In fairness to my opponent, I must confess that after winning the first set I was outplayed by Forsythe's superior placing and steadiness. Further you say that Scott and Forsythe, both of Vancouver, won the men's doubles. D. P. Scott is a member of the South Cowichan Country (Badminton) Club, and lives at Cowichan Bay.

M. HARDING-FINLAYSON.

Hon. Sec.-Treas. South Cowichan Country Club, V.I., R.M.D. Cobble Hill, B.C., March 1, 1926.

Trekking Across Alaska With "Iron Malamutes"



TOP left: Earl Rossman, accomplished ice traveler, huntsman, amateur naturalist and photographer, who has been appointed official motion picture photographer to the Wilkins airplane Arctic expedition. Top right: The three-engined equipment of the type of Fokker airplane which will be used on the polar flight. Bottom: A. Malcolm Smith, veteran Alaskan explorer, who commands the "snow motor" expedition to carry gasoline and other supplies across Alaska for Captain Wilkins.

SHOWERS INTERFERE WITH LADIES' TENNIS

All Favorites and Seeded Players Survive Easily—One English Competitor Remains

PALM BEACH, Fla., March 1.—Intermittent showers prevented several matches today in the open play for the women's tennis championship of Florida, but in those played, all favorites and seeded players survived in easy fashion.

Miss Elizabeth Ryan, Santa Monica, Calif., defeated Miss L. Chase, Waterbury, Conn., 6-0, 6-0.

Lady D. Hely-Hutchinson was the last representative of England to remain in the competition, both Lady Cholmonderly and Lady Surdale being eliminated. Lady Hely-Hutchinson defeated Edith Bonal, Newport, 7-5, 6-3, while Clare Cassel, New York, beat Lady Cholmonderly 6-1, 7-5, and Phyllis Walsh, Philadelphia, defeated Lady Surdale, 6-3, 6-0.

HAGEN EIGHT UP ON BOBBY JONES IN FIRST HALF OF BIG MATCH

SARASOTA, Fla., March 1.—Walter Hagen, professional golf champion, was eight up on Bobby Jones, national amateur champion, at the end of the first thirty-six holes of their seventy-two-hole match played over Whitfield Estates course here yesterday.

In the morning Hagen was two up at the end of the first nine. At the end of eighteen holes he was three up.

Both players were rather unsteady, but the professional established his lead through superior putting.

Hagen's score of 71 was par for the course. Jones completed the morning round with a card of 75. The players were repeatedly off the fairway with their tee shots and neither had shown his usual form at the close of the first eighteen. During the afternoon round Hagen steadied and gained five more holes on his Atlanta opponent.

A gallery of 1,000 followed the players.

On March 7 they will meet for the final thirty-six holes over the Pasadena course at St. Petersburg.

Old Country Football

LONDON, March 1.—Football games played today:

English League

First Division

Blackburn Rovers 3, Sheffield U. 1.

Second Division

Wolverhampton 1, Darlington 0.

Scottish League

Third Round Cup Replay

Aberdeen 1, St. Johnstone 0.

LONDON, March 1.—The draw for the third round of the Northern Union Rugby League Cup today, to be played March 3, resulted:

Broughton or Swinton vs. Hull-Kingston.
Hull vs. Warrington.
Oldham vs. Halifax.
Wigan Highfield vs. Leeds.

LONDON, March 1.—Games played in the Rugby Union over the week-end and reported today:

Edinburgh University 8, St. Andrew's University 3.
Heriotonians 14, Glasgow High School 14.
Ponlypridd 5, Pill Harriers 3.
Ebbw Vale 8, New Bridge 0.
Bridgewater 12, Edgeware 3.
Exeter 9, Wellington 17.
Rugby 13, Birmingham 5.
Waterloo 21, New Brighton 3.
Watsonians 7, North of Ireland 6.

LONDON, March 1.—In a Rugby Union match played today, Pontypool defeated Abercarn 8-0.

Norman Berger Remains Ski-Jumping Champion

OTTAWA, Feb. 2.—Norman Berger, of Montreal, retained the Canadian ski-jumping championship here Saturday, when he emerged from the contests at Rockliffe Park with a total of 1,736 points.

Nels Nelson, of Revelstoke, jumped well, but failed to get enough points to get in among the first five.

City Basketball League

C.P.R. Win Championship Game From C.P.S. by Scant Margin to Enter Play-Off

In one of the most gruelling contests staged in the Armories this season, the C.P.R. senior men's basketball team defeated the fast-stepping C.P.S. by a 33-30 score in the final game of the B.C. championship series, thereby gaining the right to enter the B.C. playoffs that are to be staged in the near future. The ladies' tussle went to the Victoria College girls, who were successful in downing their opponents, the Normal School, to the tune of 18-4. The College boys received an unexpected reverse when the Onwegos from the First Presbyterian United sent them down to defeat by a score of 24-14. A large crowd of fans witnessed the contests and were treated to some of the best ball of the season.

The championship tilt, featuring the C.P.R. and the C.P.S. was a whirlwind affair, both teams traveling at full speed for the full forty minutes of play. The play was replete with thrills, and the winner was in doubt right up to the last sound of the whistle.

Tommy de Macedo made a good job in handling the game and the teams lined up as follows:

C.P.R.—Wachter (7), Brindley (8), Jones (7), Dunn (2), Moore (9) and Passmore.

C.P.S.—Rutledge (13), Norton, Dowds (8), Harwood, Greenwood (7), Mills and Woolridge (2.)

The Victoria College-Onwegos tussle was a listless affair, neither team showing much class in the way of combination and shooting.

Gordie Woolridge refereed and the teams were:

Onwegos—Darbyshire, Whyte, McCready, Crawford, Bell, Sword and Stewart.

Victoria College—Tervo, Waddington, Jeffery, Christie, Little, Fletcher.

After the first period the College girls had little difficulty in running up enough points to beat the Normal School. Both teams checked hard and very little combination was played by either squad. The half-time score was 5-2 for the Collegiates. The blue and gold found the basket for eight points in the closing stanza, while the best the Normal could do was ring in two lone points, which gave the College a 13-4 win.

Joe Ross refereed and the teams were:

College—Gibson, Pettigrew, Dobbin, Richards, Harris and Tripp.

Normal—Jost, Ryall, Coughlan, Williams and Worthington.

Girl's Record Swim

PALM BEACH, Fla., March 1.—Ethel Lackie broke the world's record for the forty-five yard free style swim here this afternoon, when she covered the distance in 21 3-5 seconds, three-tenths of a second faster than the former record by Corinne Gordon, of Omaha, Neb.

Edmonton Hockey

EDMONTON, March 1.—Blairmore Coal Diggers won today's hockey game from the Edmonton Superiors, 4-3, and the Allan Cup elimination series, 6-5, on the round. The two games were fought out on water-covered ice, which made good hockey impossible.

CANADIAN RUGBY TO START IN VICTORIA

Practice Held Last Night Shows Good Talent Available—Match Arranged With Vancouver

First efforts to establish the game of Canadian rugby in Victoria promises success. Arrangements have been made for a match to be played by local exponents of the game at the Willows, against Vancouver, on March 13, and judging from the form shown and knowledge of the game by the players who turned out last night for practice the locals are quite capable of giving a good account of themselves.

Among those who turned out at the Drill Hall last night were the following: Dick Wilson, Bill Peden, McMillan, D. Forbes, B. Forbes, E. Burnes, Kirk, Blundell, Gordon Fraser, Jack McDonald, Ted Grubb, Tommy Lampman and George Porteous.

Porteous took a leading part in the practice and put the men through signal practice and other preliminary work.

Another practice will be held on Wednesday, with the time and place to be announced later.

Tickets for the game here on March 13 are now on sale and may be obtained from any of the players named above, or from Prior's Sporting Goods Department.

Finn Wins Marathon

BALTIMORE, Md., March 1.—Albin Stenroos, Finnish Olympic marathon champion, won the Emerywood-Federal 10-mile modified-marathon yesterday over a field of sixty-six runners. His time was 53:36 minutes.

Floods are of common occurrence at Leningrad. In fact, they are as familiar to the inhabitants as eruptions of Vesuvius are to the population of Naples.

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Up Another Inch!

BALTIMORE, Md., March 1.—Charley Hoff, the Norwegian pole vault champion, continued his conquest of the air in the Johns-Hopkins University indoor games Saturday, when he established a new world's indoor record of 12 feet 5⅛ inches for the event.

Mushrooms entering a Paris market are inspected by government officials to prevent poisonous varieties from being sold.

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First Presbyterians Favored to Win City Championship Game Tonight Against James Bays

The curtain will be lowered on senior men's basketball this evening as far as the city championships are concerned, when the well-known First Presbyterians clash with the James Bay quintette to decide which team will represent the capital in the coming B.C. play-offs. The battle will be staged at the Memorial Hall, and a great crowd of enthusiastic fans is expected to turn out. The Firsts will enter the fray favorites owing to their greater experience and fine showing in the last few games, but the Bays are by no means green to the hoop game and can be depended upon to give the champs the fight of their lives.

This is probably the first season the Presbyterians have been so close pressed for the championship, and for a time it looked as though they were going to lose out. The Bays sprang one of the biggest surprises in basketball circles when they defeated last year's champions at the beginning of this season, and many of the fans figured that a new team would represent Victoria in the finals. However, the St. Andrew's five came on the scene and created a big pow-wow by downing the league-leading James Bay, thereby causing a play-off between the Firsts and the Bays. Captain Bob Whyte is counting heavily for a win tonight, because if they lose it will be the first time in many years that a team from the First Church has not been in the finals for the provincial championship.

In the intermediate girls' tussle, the W.A.W.'s will clash with the Congos in what should also prove a thrilling contest from start to finish.

The Condors and Mets will meet in the intermediate boys' B tilt, while the opening game will feature the junior boys' teams from St. Saviour's and First Presbyterian. The first game will start at 6:45 p.m., the intermediate B boys at 7:30, the intermediate girls at 8:15, and the men's championship at 9 o'clock.

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Below Are Four of First Pictures Taken of Famous Gold Rush to Red Lake, Ontario

On the upper left is the Hudson's Bay post at Hudson Station, on the main line of the Canadian National Railway, the jumping-off place for prospectors going into Red Lake. Upper right is the Hudson's Bay post at Lac Suel, the half-way house on the trail in. Lower left is a typical prospector's camp at Red Lake. Lower right shows Jacob Davidson, an old Northern Ontario prospector, who made the trip to Red Lake with the dog team shown in picture. Food for dogs and men is scarce, says Mr. Davidson, and unless precautions are taken many will starve to death as they did in the rush to the Klondike.

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Correct Presentation of Current Events Will End Wars, Says Associated Press Chief

PORTLAND, Ore., March 1.—"When truth in news they read is assured security will come to the peoples of many nations who have paid in wars and blood for propaganda and misinformation."

This was the statement made here by Mr. Kent Cooper, general manager of the Associated Press. Mr. Cooper went on to say there were indications that those things which will assure truthful presentation of current events are being brought about.

Steps are being taken, he said, looking to the formation in foreign lands of co-operative associations for the exchange of unbiased fact reports, such as this nation has in the Associated Press and Canada has in the Canadian Press.

"With such services, giving people accurate knowledge of other peoples, what they are doing, thinking, what their conditions are, old-world hatreds and misunderstandings will disappear. In my opinion had such services existed in Europe prior to the World War, there would have been no World War. When such associations become universal, so that all have the news of peoples and not the propaganda of a few intriguing leaders, I do not think there will be any more wars," said Mr. Cooper.

MONEY VOTE ASKED TO BUILD ASSEMBLY HALL

Oak Bay School Board Plans Construction of Addition to Monterey Avenue School

Extraordinary expenses totaling slightly more than $6,600 will be submitted by the Oak Bay School Board to the Council for approval in this year's school estimates. The money, if voted, will be used solely in building an assembly hall for the Monterey Avenue School.

The plans submitted to the School Board call for the building of the proposed new hall between the two wings of the school and will have ample space to hold all the pupils. The cost will be in the neighborhood of $10,000, one-third of which will be paid by the Provincial Government.

At present there are about 300 pupils attending the school and there is no place where the principal can address his pupils as a whole nor where any kind of entertainments may be held. If it is necessary to call the classes together they are either taken outside of the building or, if the weather is unfavorable, are divided into lots and taken into the hallway.

The proposed new hall will be used not only for an assembly place but also as a gymnasium. It will have a stage at one end and may be used as a place of entertainment. It will be constructed of the same material of which the school is built.

Election Charges Made Against Three Deputies

EDMONTON, March 1.—Information has been laid against three men who were deputy returning officers in the Athabasca electoral district in the recent Federal general election, in which riding C. W. Cross, Liberal candidate, was declared elected.

The charges against the three are similar to those on which Joseph Billos, of Venice, and M. Harris, of Margu, were arrested, and include placing in ballot boxes papers other than the legal ballots and placing initials on ballot papers other than those allowed by law.

Billos was remanded for trial on election charges some weeks ago. Harris waived his right to a preliminary hearing and with Billos will appear in the criminal court at the next sitting.

Accused Suicides

FAIRFIELD, Ia., March 1.—Louis Bruey, fifty, hanged himself on the eve of his trial for murder of Samuel McNees, whom he accused of having wronged his fourteen-year-old daughter.

Fatal Hunting Accident

HALIFAX, March 1.—Shot accidentally through the right leg while porcupine hunting in the woods, Richard Hasque, thirteen, died here, following an operation.

At the Playhouses

MARCH OF LOVELINESS HEADED BY COLLEEN

Miss Moore Leads Girls Beautiful as Flowers in Merry Film, "Irene," at Capitol

What is so rare as a beautiful fashion show on the screen? Only the day in June, of course.

When the show comes, however, as it did last night in the premiere at the Capitol Theatre of Colleen Moore's "Irene," it is worthy of all praise. This reviewer is delighted to give it.

Gowns on beautiful women are like petals on a rose. Colleen Moore and a troupe of rapturously beautiful Hollywood coryphees parade in dress creations that give them the semblance of gorgeous flowers.

Miss Moore herself is a thing of beauty and a joy forever.

"Irene," like Miss Moore's former triumph, "Sally," is based on a musical comedy hit. Lloyd Hughes, George K. Arthur and Charles Murray are featured. The picture was produced by John McCormick, directed by Alfred E. Green and released through First National.

COLISEUM THEATRE As Manager Frank Allwood announced in billing the show for this week at the Coliseum, "The Byng Boys in Victoria" is even funnier than the last appearance of the Byng Boys. As the Byng Boys in David Spencer's department store this week, the capable team of comedians did as they did last time. They keep the audience roaring with laughter all the time they are on the stage. Their dialogue, their duets and their comedy songs are gems of burlesque humor. "Dangerous Innocence" on the screen, featuring Laura La Plante, completes a memorable show.

COLUMBIA THEATRE "Strongheart" in "White Fang." These are two names to conjure with. The greatest dog actor in pictures, and the greatest dog story—the masterpiece, according to many critics, of that master author, the late Jack London. And the combination, as shown yesterday on the screen at the Columbia Theatre for the first time in this locality, proves well nigh invincible entertainment. "Strongheart" is superb in the title role. He puts over facial emotions as easily as if he understood everything that was transpiring.

PLAYHOUSE THEATRE The trials and tribulations of the bootlegger at "Ye Olde Hospitality Inne" are cleverly revealed this week at the Playhouse Theatre in the roaring farce, "Caught With the Goods," which is ably presented by the Hincks' Players. The man who is illegally selling "hooch" finds it difficult to distinguish between delivery agents and stool pigeons, and what a time he has! The counter-plot of the play is equally as exciting. "Red Hot Tires," with red hot mamas—and papas—traffic cops losing their tempers, sheriffs without a sense of humor—is the screen feature.

AMUSEMENTS

The Screen

Capitol—Colleen Moore in "Irene."

Columbia—"White Fang," with the famous dog star, Strongheart.

Dominion—Jetta Goudal in "Three Faces East."

The Stage

Coliseum—"The Bing Boys in Victoria."

Playhouse—"Caught With the Goods."

"THREE FACES EAST" WINS INSTANT FAVOR

Rupert Julian's Production at Dominion Shows Intense Sustained Interest and Thrills

Proving itself a distinctly worthwhile photoplay, "Three Faces East," a Rupert Julian production, featuring Jetta Goudal, Robert Ames, Henry Walthall and Clive Brook, was heartily received by big audiences at the Dominion Theatre yesterday. For sustained interest, swift moving action and thrills, this picture stands in a class alone.

The story deals with the adventures of several members of the British and German Secret Service during the war. It is finely developed along dramatic lines, and there is a surprise finish which it would be unfair to the reader to reveal. It was superbly directed by Rupert Julian under Cecil B. DeMille's supervision.

The featured players present highly artistic portrayals and they contribute to the enjoyableness of the production. From start to finish there isn't a dull moment in the action, and with its beautiful photography and thrills, "Three Faces East" is a mystery drama of superlative quality.

HYPNOTIC JESTER TO BE ATTRACTION NEXT WEEK AT PLAYHOUSE

Dr. Paris will be the big attraction of Victoria next week when he appears at the Playhouse in an hypnotic programme built solely to amuse and to give a little wholesome "food for thought."

Dr. Paris has demonstrated his abilities before many noted critics in both Europe and on this side of the Atlantic and his powers have baffled the most astute minds.

Dr. Paris' special representative will arrive early this week and will be glad to meet prospective subjects who would like to join the doctor on the stage on Monday. Any so doing may rest assured that they will in no way be embarrassed but will be treated from start to finish as a lady or gentleman is entitled to expect.

Final Fruit Combine Report Not to Be Issued Until Trial Finishes

OTTAWA, March 1.—In the House of Commons this afternoon Grote Stirling, Conservative, Yale, inquired when the final report of the commissioner respecting the fruit combine in Western Canada would be available. An interim report, Mr. Stirling pointed out, had already been tabled.

Hon. J. H. King, Acting Minister of Labor, replied that a final report had not yet been made. Such a report would not be available until the prosecutions now pending before the courts had been disposed of.

One trouble with automobile speeders seems to be that their horse sense decreases in inverse ratio to their horsepower.

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Total amount of freight on board was 4,950 tons, including 2,572 bales of raw silk. There were 2,536 sacks of mail, seventy-four of which were set down here.

Prominent among the passengers were:

Mr. W. W. Murdoch, a merchant connected with Harding and Messenger Ltd., Hanover Square, London, returning to his home after a business trip to the Orient; Mrs. D. R. McDonnell, a resident of Shanghai, China, on a pleasure trip to New York; Mr. S. J. Sharpless, a banker of Shanghai, China, on a business trip to New York; Mr. Jose P. Arcillas, in charge of a party of forty-seven Filipino mechanics who will work in the Ford factories at Detroit for two years learning production methods there. Dr. Olaf Bentzen, a prominent physician and surgeon of Seattle and Grand Forks, N.D., returning from a pleasure trip to the Orient; Mr. James C. H. Donbright, a round-the-world tourist, returning to his home in New York; Rev. L. C. Bysted, accompanied by his wife and daughter, a missionary connected with the Reformed Church in the United States, returning to the United States; Mrs. R. D. Cleveland and Miss Phyllis Cleveland, tourists of Ridgefield, Conn., completing a pleasure trip to the Orient; Mrs. E. H. Close, a tourist of San Mateo, Cal., returning from a visit to friends in the Philippines; Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Collins, the former an importer and exporter connected with the United Export Company of Tientsin.

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25 ..	3:36	8.2	9:03	7.1	11:16	7.3	19:04	3.3
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27 ..	4:27	7.8	6:56	4.1	17:24	7.1	20:14	3.6
28 ..	5:03	7.7	9:16	5.6	14:14	7.3	20:53	3.9
29 ..	5:18	7.7	9:51	4.9	15:05	7.2	21:26	4.4
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The time used is Pacific Standard for the 120th Meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serve to distinguish high water from low water. Where blanks occur in the table, the tide rises or falls continuously during two successive tidal periods without turning.

The height is in feet and tenths of a foot, measured from the average level of lower low water.

Equimalt: To find the depth of water on the sill of the drydock at any tide, add 18.9 feet to the height of high water as above given.

SUNRISE AND SUNSET
MARCH

Time of sunrise and sunset (Pacific Standard time) at Victoria, B.C. for the month of March, 1926

	Sunrise	Sunset		Sunrise	Sunset
1 ..	6.55	5.57	17 ..	6.23	6.29
2 ..	6.53	5.58	18 ..	6.20	6.31
3 ..	6.51	6.00	19 ..	6.18	6.33
4 ..	6.49	6.01	20 ..	6.16	6.34
5 ..	6.47	6.02	21 ..	6.14	6.36
6 ..	6.45	6.03	22 ..	6.12	6.37
7 ..	6.43	6.07	23 ..	6.10	6.39
8 ..	6.41	6.05	24 ..	6.08	6.41
9 ..	6.39	6.11	25 ..	6.06	6.32
10 ..	6.37	6.13	26 ..	6.04	6.34
11 ..	6.35	6.14	27 ..	6.02	6.35
12 ..	6.33	6.15	28 ..	5.00	6.36
13 ..	6.31	6.16	29 ..	3.59	6.37
14 ..	6.29	6.17	30 ..	3.57	6.38
15 ..	6.27	6.19	31 ..	3.55	6.39
16 ..	6.25	6.19			

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Canadian Flag on Mediterranean Tour

Here is the Canadian Pacific liner Empress of France as she was towed into New York harbor by seven tugs on her arrival from Liverpool. The luxurious vessel shuddered daintily at the cold, and ice and snow. It all looked so dreary. But on February 9 the Empress of France left for sunny isles and the sun-baked land lying close to the blue waters of the Mediterranean, where wintry gales are unknown and the days are an unending succession of brightness.

OBSERVATION ROOM HAS BEEN COMPLETED

Steamer Princess Charlotte Is Assuming New Appearance Under Workmen's Hammers

The new observation room on the Princess Charlotte is now erected, the same skylight which formerly opened on the boat deck being raised one floor. Below decks there has been a most thorough overhaul of the plumbing and other repairs, so that when the vessel resumes in the Alaska run it will be in quite a different condition internally from the familiar guise known to so many passengers on the triangular run.

Captain Troup, manager of the B. C. Coast Service, believes that the Princess Charlotte will have many years of usefulness before her after the thorough overhaul which has been carried out at Belleville Street.

No decision has been reached with regard to the Princesses Marguerite and Kathleen, which are expected to resume on the triangular run in May. Probable dates will be in the third week of that month, though the actual details have yet to be worked out.

A similar situation prevails in connection with the proposed inauguration of the round-Vancouver-Island cruises by the Princess Mary. The schedule is being prepared by officials and, it is expected, Captain Troup says, that the company will be ready to make an announcement through the passenger department shortly.

The only policy which has been definitely decided, the manager says, is that the tours will have to fit into other engagements of the vessel during the Summer, when steamers are greatly in demand and accordingly the schedule will have to be carefully worked out.

TERRA NOVA RESCUES KENTUCKY FROM ICE

Vessel Caught in Ice Floes While on Voyage From Dunkirk—Suffers Bow Plate Damage

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld., March 1.—A wireless message received today said the French steamer Kentucky, 250 miles east southeast of Cape Spear, had been taken in tow by the sealing steamer Terra Nova and the French steamer Degralse and was being brought here. The message said the steamer was being towed stern first.

The Kentucky got caught in the ice last week while on a voyage from Dunkirk to New York and suffered damage to her bow plates.

Weather Report

Estevan: Clear; calm; northwest 15; 30.24; 48; light swell.

Pachena: Clear; calm; 30.20; 48; sea smooth.

Prince Rupert: Rain; southeast light; 30.21; 46; sea smooth.

Alert Bay: Clear; calm; 30.36; sea smooth.

BIG OPIUM SEIZURE MADE AT OUTER DOCK

Trunk Containing 135 Tins of Opium Valued at $8,000 Is Taken by Customs Officers

Customs officials made another opium seizure yesterday morning when a trunk, which had been lying at the Outer Wharf since the Empress of Canada docked from the Orient last week without anyone calling for it, was ordered opened by Mr. F. W. Davey, collector of customs. A search of the trunk's contents revealed 135 half-pound tins of opium, valued at $8,000.

Mystery surrounds the ownership of the trunk. The markings on the outside indicate that it belongs to a Chinaman. Customs officials had been suspicious of the receptacle for some time as it is seldom baggage is left so long lying around the dock.

This seizure follows a more spectacular one some seven days ago, when Vernon A. Summers was arrested following the finding of opium in his hotel room. He had been seen coming from the Empress of Canada, which was sailing for the Orient, and being under suspicion was followed, with the result that he was arrested, appeared in court and was sentenced to eighteen months in prison and a $1,000 fine.

Ocean and Coastwise Movements

VESSEL MOVEMENTS

SEATTLE, March 1.—Arrived: Bonhyalla, Celilo, San Francisco; President Jackson, Kobe; Admiral Dewey, Bellingham. Sailed: Monticello, Tacoma; Tokiwa Maru, Kobe; Admiral Dewey, San Francisco; Yoshida Maru, No. 1, Yokohama; Motorship Axel Johnson, Portland; Atlantic, Everett; Motorship Charlie Watson, Alaska.

VALDEZ, March 1.—Sailed: Alameda, southbound.

EVERETT, March 1.—Sailed: Philnicetes, Vancouver.

PORTLAND, March 1.—Arrived: Admiral Evans, San Diego; Heina, Lotheric, San Francisco; Mundella, Boston; Borgan, Oslo. Sailed: Florence Luckenbach, Philadelphia; Daisy, San Francisco; Griffco, Florida ports.

TACOMA, March 1.—Arrived: Griffco, B.C. ports; Atlantic, Seattle; Amur, Britannia Beach. Sailed: Doyletown, Everett; Cross Keys, Seattle.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 1.—Arrived: Australian, Vancouver; Stuart Dollar, Baltimore; Katherine Donovan, Grays Harbor; Mongolia, New York; Admiral Peary, Admiral Schly, San Pedro. Sailed: Ruth Alexander, San Pedro; Elkridge, Yokohama.

Arrived

MANILA, March 1.—Empress of Asia, Vancouver.

SHANGHAI, March 1.—President Wilson, San Francisco.

WIRELESS REPORT

(Estevan, 8 p.m., March 1.)

Los Alamos, Seattle for Martinez, 335 miles from San Francisco.

San Diego, Grays Harbor for San Pedro, 493 miles from San Pedro.

Wellingsford, San Francisco for Portland, 210 miles from south of Columbia River.

Laffin, San Francisco for Grays Harbor, 163 miles from Grays Harbor.

West Hollbrook, San Francisco for Portland, 104 miles from Columbia River.

Argyll, San Francisco for Tacoma, 120 miles from Tacoma.

Miho Maru, Portland for Yokohama, 750 miles from Columbia River.

Iyasuku Maru, bound Vancouver, 700 miles from Estevan.

Hokuni Maru, Grays Harbor for Yokohama, 48.40 north, 130.20 west.

Nevada, San Francisco for Seattle, 153 miles from Seattle.

Esther Dollar, Karatsu for San Francisco, 275 miles west of San Francisco.

Aorangi, bound Victoria, 850 miles from Honolulu.

President Madison, Victoria for Yokohama, 497 miles from Seattle.

Makura, San Francisco for Sydney, 1,700 miles south of San Francisco.

Hallsfried, San Francisco for Brisbane, 1,748 miles from San Francisco.

West Nevaria, Melbourne for San Francisco, 1,991 miles from San Francisco.

West Himrod, Seattle for Yokohama, 1,586 miles from Seattle.

West Koyote, Yokohama for Portland, 2,272 miles from North Head.

West Jessup, Otaru for San Francisco, 2,045 miles from San Francisco.

Victoria, Ketchikan for Seattle, 232 miles from Seattle.

Admiral Rogers, Skagway for Sitka, snowbound off Haines, Alaska.

Camosun, left Prince Rupert, 2 p.m., northbound.

Louise Nielsen, New York for Port Alberni, 70 miles from Cape Beale at 4 p.m.

C.G.M.M. MOVEMENTS

Canadian Freighter, Feb. 25, arrived Halifax.

Canadian Highlander, Feb. 14, left Panama Canal for Avonmouth.

Canadian Importer, Feb. 16, left San Francisco for London.

Canadian Inventor, Jan. 1?, arrived Halifax.

Canadian Pioneer, Feb. 25, arrived Vancouver.

Canadian Planter, Feb. 23, arrived London.

Canadian Ranger, Feb. 10, arrived Antwerp.

Canadian Transporter, Feb. 26, left Glasgow for Halifax.

Canadian Seigneur, Feb. 12, arrived Key West.

Canadian Winner, Feb. 24, arrived Vancouver.

Canadian Skirmisher, Feb. 28, arrived Vancouver.

Canadian Coaster, Feb. 26, left San Pedro for San Francisco.

Canadian Farmer, Feb. 21, left Ocean Falls for San Diego.

Canadian Observer, Feb. 25, arrived Vancouver.

Canadian Rover, Feb. 25, arrived Ocean Falls.

Canadian Trooper, Feb. 15, arrived Mauritius.

Canadian Prospector, Feb. 16, left Antwerp for Vancouver.

SHIPPING CALENDAR

To Arrive

Aorangi, from Australia, March 5.
Arabia Maru, from Orient, March 8.
Empress of Australia, from Orient, March 10.
Asuka Maru, from Orient, March 11.
President McKinley, from Orient, March 12.

To Sail

Empress of Russia, for Orient, March 6.
Aorangi, for Australia, March 10.
Yokohama Maru, for Orient, March 11.
President Jackson, for Orient, March 11.
Arabia Maru, for Orient, March 29.

TRANSPACIFIC MAILS

MARCH, 1926.

China and Japan

Empress of Russia: Mails close 5 p.m., March 6; due at Yokohama, March 18; Shanghai, March 22; Hong Kong, March 25.

President Jackson: Mails close 4 p.m., March 11; due at Yokohama, on April 4; Shanghai, April 9; Hong Kong, April 12.

Empress of Australia: Mails close at 5 p.m., March 20; due at Yokohama, April 2; Shanghai, April 7; Hong Kong, April 10.

President McKinley: Mails close at 4 p.m., March 23; due at Yokohama, on March 4; Shanghai, March 9; Hong Kong, April 13.

Arabia Maru: Mails close at 4 p.m., March 25; due at Yokohama, March 9.

Australia and New Zealand

Aorangi (direct): Mails close at 6 p.m., March 16; due at Auckland, March 29; Sydney, April 5.

Ventura (via San Francisco): Mails close at 4 p.m., March 12; due at Sydney, April 6.

Tahiti (via San Francisco): Mails close at 4 p.m., March 21; due at Wellington, April 12; Sydney, April 17.

LOADING RECORD IS MADE IN VANCOUVER

Ss. Bradford City Dispatched in Record Time After Loading 4,000,000 Feet of Lumber

VANCOUVER, March 1.—Record dispatch in wheat has been crowding one of the great export movements of the province into the background, but the lumber industry comes along with a real port record in placing a full cargo of forest products aboard ship.

The Ss. Bradford City, Canadian-American Shipping Company, sailed for the Orient with 4,000,000 feet of lumber on board.

This ship took the cargo in at the rate of approximately 1,000,000 feet daily. She arrived at 7 a.m. on Wednesday, and was completely loaded and ready for sea at midnight on Sunday.

TUG M'CULLOCH IS DIFFICULT TO SALVAGE

Divers Patch Vessel's Hull in Water Thick With Shifting Sand With Strong Tide Running

VANCOUVER, March 1.—After a hard struggle with tide and river currents, in water so thick with shifting sand that the divers, in patching the broken hull, had to work by sense of touch alone, the sunken tugboat McCulloch was patched on Sunday and floated.

She is at the Vancouver Dredging & Salvage Company's dock, and is expected to shift shortly to the company's North Vancouver ways for repairs. The vessel was holed in one plank, ten feet from the stem, on the port side, and has a starboard plank bulging.

Another plank showed damage, so these three pieces will have to be replaced, and some work done near the rudder stem before she again resumes service, it is said.

Logging Victim Buried

VANCOUVER, March 1.—Killed on Thursday in a logging camp of Brooks, Scanlon & O'Brien, near Lewis Lake, Ole Martinson, forty-year-old logger, was buried in Powell River, after a coroner's jury returned a verdict of accidental death. The deceased was struck by a falling tree and died instantly.

Rev. Fallis Declines

VANCOUVER, March 1.—Rev. G. O. Fallis, pastor of the Canadian Memorial Church, Vancouver, announced he has declined the invitation to become travelling secretary for the League of Nations in Canada.

Presentation Made to the Antinoe Rescuers

Sir Philip Cunliffe-Lister, President of the Board of Trade, representing the King in the presentation of medals to the members of the crew of the President Roosevelt, in recognition of their bravery in rescuing the crew of the British ship Antinoe, lost in the recent Atlantic storms.

Shipping Notes

The Furness-Whithy liner Pacific Commerce is due here on March 8, it was learned in advices received here yesterday. The vessel has approximately 150 tons of freight to discharge. It is coming from the United Kingdom. The London Merchant, in the same service, is due here on March 14.

The Harrison Direct liner Wayfarer passed up to Vancouver on Sunday night. She will be followed to this Coast from the United Kingdom by the Dictator, which is scheduled to arrive on April 3.

In the Nippon Yusen Kaisha's transpacific service the motorship Asuka Maru left Yokohama on February 25, and is expected to arrive here on March 11. The vessel has 100 tons of cargo for Victoria.

The Admiral liner Emma Alexander docked from San Francisco at 11:35 o'clock last night. Her late arrival was due to an hour and a half delay in San Francisco. Sixty passengers debarked.

The motorship Indra left James Island for Tacoma at 5 o'clock last night, according to information received by King Brothers. The Hokkok Maru was expected to sail late last night for Mainland ports to complete loading lumber.

Lineman Electrocuted

SYDNEY, N.S., March 1.—Graham Dunlop, thirty-two, lineman, was instantly killed when he came in contact with the high tension wires of a transmission line while working on the roof of the local power house.

A Cruise De Luxe by the palatial world cruiser Empress of Scotland from San Francisco, March 22, and Los Angeles, March 24, via the Panama Canal, Havana and New York to the Old Country. Special first class rates, including shore excursions. Full particulars at Canadian Pacific Railway City Ticket Office, 1102 Government Street.

Jockey's Son Must Pay $15,000 to Car Victim

PARIS, March 1.—Frank O'Neil, son of the American jockey, Frank O'Neil has been ordered by the Versailles civil court to pay 400,000 francs (about $15,000) damages to the widow of a man who was killed August 26 last, when young O'Neil, driving an automobile, crashed into another automobile. Five other persons were injured.

O'Neil was ordered also to pay 100,000 francs to the daughter of the victim and 17,000 francs to two others injured.

$100,000 Jewel Robbery

LOUISVILLE, Ky., March 1.—Herman Hamburger, twenty-eight, New York jewelry salesman, was robbed of jewels valued at approximately $100,000 here today. Hamburger reported that he was accosted by a man at a busy downtown corner and asked for a match. Before he could reply, two other men slugged him from behind, and the three grabbed his jewelry case, ran across the street, and jumped into a waiting automobile.

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TACOMA, March 1.—William Barlow, aged twenty-five, who is alleged to have shot ammonia in the eyes of United States marshal in San Francisco during the daring escape of January 28, 1925, of Milo Eggers, when his brother, Ariel Eggers, was killed, is under arrest here.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 1.—The shooting of Ariel Eggers and the escape of Milo Eggers took place as they were about to face a United States commissioner here on deportation proceedings brought by British Columbia officials, who accused them of rum piracy.

Milo rushed from the building, jumped into a waiting automobile and hastened away. He has never been apprehended.

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BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, DEATHS

BIRTHS

PERKINS—To Mr. and Mrs. S. Perkins, 2144 Milligan Street, February 28, a daughter.

DEATHS

ALLEN—There passed away on Sunday, February 28, Mary Isabella Allen, beloved wife of Edward L. Allen, on James Island.

NOBLE—At Grasmere Sanatorium, on February 21, 1926, Harold F. Noble, formerly of Victoria, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Noble, Pasadena, Cal.

CARD OF THANKS

S. N. Reid and family wish to convey their sincere thanks to their many friends for their kind expressions of sympathy during their recent and bereavement.

IN MEMORIAM

RAMSEY—In loving memory of our dear father, who died March 3, 1925.

Deep in our hearts there's a picture
Of a loved one gone to rest
In Memory's frame we shall keep it,
Because he was one of the best.
Our lips cannot speak how we loved him,
Our hearts cannot tell what to say
But only knows how we miss him
As we journey along on life's way.
But we know he is sleeping peacefully
Now in the promised land
But how it would lighten our hearts
Just to feel the touch of his hand.
When in dreams we often seem to hear his voice again,
Kind words of love from realms above,
Like sunshine after rain.

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COMING EVENTS 1

AMPUTATION Club — Military 500 and dance, Amputations Association, 44 (the street) War Claimants, Belmont Building, Wednesday, March 3, at 8.30 p.m. Fourteen cash prizes for cards, and a splendid orchestra for the dance. Admission 25c.

A WHIST drive and dance tonight, Sons of Canada Hall. Two $5, $3, $1, and two $1 specials.

BENEFIT concert, Foresters' Hall, Cormorant Street, Wednesday, March 3, 8-12 p.m. Excellent programme. Silver collection.

C.P.R. SOCIAL Club—Dance, Saturday, March 6, Empress Hotel, 8-30 to 11:30. Girard's orchestra.

CONSERVATIVE military 500 and waltzing competition, Conservative rooms, Campbell Building, Thursday. Cards 8.30, prize waltz 10.30. Special good prizes. Kindler's 5-piece orchestra. Everybody welcome. Only 25c.

ESQUIMALT Voters' Association—Whist drive, 1250 Old Esquimalt Road, Wednesday, March 3, at 8 o'clock. Good prizes and refreshments. 25c.

L.A. TO U.W.V.A.—500 and dance will be held in New Foresters' Hall, corner Cormorant Street, March 3, 8.30 to 11.30 p.m. Good prizes. Art Bishop's orchestra for dancing. Admission 50c. Refreshments.

MOOSE Band concert and dance, Tuesday, March 2. K. of P. Hall. Concert 8-9.30. Dancing 9.30-11.30. Tickets, 25c.

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THE Hoot Owl Orchestra for house parties. Phone Owen Fowler, 4400, 1600R.

W.B.A.—ST. Patrick's masquerade, New A.O.F. Hall, March 15. Children, 6 to 8 p.m., admission 25c. Adults, 8 to 12 p.m., Hunt's orchestra. Admission 50c.

WOMEN'S Auxiliary to T.V.A.—Whist Drive and tea, Tuesday afternoon, March 2, 2.30 sharp, at 1320 Government Street. Admission 25-35 cents. Phone 2418, 7273R.

WANTED—MALE HELP 2

BOY, about 17, for fruit farm. Apply Box 9651, Colonist.

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MOTION Picture Players Canadian Film Productions can include up to six more players of refined type only, for their forthcoming productions. Experience unnecessary. Phone 7059 or 7071.

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WANTED: Woman to assist in washing and house cleaning, one afternoon weekly. Phone 6147L.

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SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE 5

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TO EXCHANGE 8 (Continued)

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TO RENT—MISCELLANEOUS 11

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FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS 13

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A SET of beautiful black fox furs, $60; will sell separate. Also light Spring coat; cheap. Box 9670, Colonist.

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ELECTRIC sewing machine (used), only $45. 616 Yates.

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WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS 14

ABSOLUTELY HIGHEST PRICES PAID for rags, bottles, tools, stoves, furniture, or anything you wish to dispose of. We call anywhere, any time. Phone 6184.

ABSOLUTELY Best Prices Paid for GENTLEMEN'S DISCARDED CLOTHING, Antiques, Silver, Sheffield Plate. MRS. JOWETT, 821 Fort St. Phone 9154.

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ROOM AND BOARD 15

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PROPERTY FOR SALE 44

FOR Sale—2 lots, overlooking Oak Bay Golf Links. Corner lot, 99x173 ft., $1,000; adjoining lot, 50x128 ft., $800. Apply Owner, Box 9755, Colonist.

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$250—VERY nice building lot, Oak Bay, close to golf links and Beach Drive. F. F. Higgs, 208 Pemberton Bldg.

$1500—HAVE just received instructions from owner to sell two valuable properties at the above price, consisting of 2 corner lots, Gorge Road and Wascana, and one acre near Douglas. This is less than half the present value. Full particulars from F. F. Higgs, 208 Pemberton Bldg.

FARMS FOR SALE 47

A SHEEP FARM, as a going concern, having 100 acres, 20 acres cleared and under plough; also 20 to 40 acres good land when cleared, and lots of free grazing. Some excellent standing timber. A modern plastered 5-roomed house, concrete foundation, basement, hot and cold water, bath and toilet, etc. Good barn, chicken house and piggery, some farming tools, 24 lambing ewes and 11 yearlings, Jersey cow and some chickens. Only 28 minutes from Victoria. Price $3,500, including household furniture. CROSS & CO., Belmont House, Opposite P.O.

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$900 FOR 7 acres with a nice little 3-room furnished house, Saanich district; reasonable terms, or discount for cash. F. F. Higgs, 208 Pemberton Bldg.

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FARM—Fifty acres good bottom land, in hay; good barn, small cabin. Apply owner, John Ferguson, Saanichton, B.C.

ACREAGE FOR RENT 50

2½ ACRES, all under cultivation. 5-ROOM MODERN HOUSE; new chicken houses for 400 birds. On paved road and near school. Apply
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MONEY TO LOAN 52

MORTGAGES
IMPROVED SECURITY REQUIRED

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LOAN of $600 for 6 months; bonus and interest. Security, household furniture, insured value $2,500. Apply Box 9731, Colonist.

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IF your watch does not give satisfaction, bring it to the "Watch Bench," Brown Block, Broad St. Mainsprings, $1; cleaning, $1; work guaranteed. Opp. Spencer's.

INCOME tax returns correctly made up. Low charges. Phone 7572L, mornings 9-10, evenings 7-8.

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PLEASE note that my property, situated at 3519 Shelbourne Street, is off the market. S. G. Martin.

RESPONSIBLE person will care for children in own home. Particulars, write Box 9678, Colonist.

SAFETY razor blades resharpened; razors honed and set, 25c. F. D. Cox, 637 Fort.

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TIMBER BROKERS 60

CROWN grant and licensed timber for sale. Cruisers' reports and estimates furnished, with topographical maps. Log brokers, Girdwood & Lewis, Ltd., 117-119 Pemberton Bldg.

RYAN, McINTOSH, HIBBERSON, BLAIR TIMBER CO., LTD., TIMBER CRUISERS, VALUATORS AND CONSULTING ENGINEERS. Timber for sale in large or small tracts. Crown grant or license in any part of the Province. 763 BELMONT HOUSE, VICTORIA.

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Outside city limits, high, healthy location. NEW STUCCO BUNGALOW, large lot. Reasonable price. Terms to suit.
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English Walnut Furniture Effects, Etc.,

Take No. 3 Car to Michigan Street. On view this afternoon from 2 o'clock. For Further Particulars Apply to
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Instructed by the executors of the estate of the late Mr. Itell and other clients, we will sell at our Salesroom, 727-733 Pandora Avenue, on

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Furniture and Furnishings, Westinghouse 5-Tube Radio, Doherty Organ, Persian and Oriental Rugs, Carpets, Etc., 5-Tube Neutrodyne Radio, 3-Tube Radio

The above Westinghouse Radio is almost new and consists of 5 Tubes, Wet A Battery and Charger, B Batteries and Loud Speaker. The 5-Tube Neutrodyne consists of 5 Tubes and Loud Speaker. The furniture consists of a very fine and large assortment, nice Carpets and real Persian and Oriental Rugs of which full particulars will appear later. Also Queen Coal Brooder Stove.

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Our usual sale of Poultry and Vegetables, etc., 1919 Chandler Touring Car and lot of Sash Frames, 3 large 6 x 6 Glazed Sash, etc.

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DUNWELL IS HAULING 10 TONS OF ORE DAILY

Fall of Snow at Stewart Facilitates Work of Transfer From Mine to Wharf

Ore is now being transferred from the Dunwell mines to the wharf at Stewart at the rate of ten tons a day. The work has been somewhat facilitated by a fall of snow on the higher levels, which has not been sufficient, however, to afford sleighing all the way.

The Dunwell company has on hand at the portal to the mine quite a large quantity of sacked ore which is being taken away as fast as it can be transferred in order to avoid loss from bursting of the sacks.

At the same time the company is carrying along the operations underground to supplement the supply of ore available as it is taken away for shipment.

STRONG SYNDICATE HANDLES NEW LOAN

GOVERNMENT LOAN IS OFFERED AT 97 AND INTEREST, YIELDING 4.73 PER CENT

Proceeds of Dominion Issue Are to Be Used for Refunding—Encourages Home Borrowing

The new Dominion of Canada $45,000,000 issue of 4½% bonds, due February 1, 1946, is being offered by a strong Canadian syndicate composed of the Bank of Montreal, the Royal Bank of Canada, the Canadian Bank of Commerce, Wood, Gundy & Company Limited, Dominion Securities Corporation, Limited, A. E. Ames & Company, Limited, and National City Company, Limited. The new issue is considered to be attractive, being offered at 97 and interest, yielding an interest return of 4.73%.

The details of the bonds are similar to previous Victory Loan and Refunding Loan issues, in that interest is payable at any branch in Canada of any chartered bank. It is understood that the present financing completes the Dominion Government's requirements for the current year.

Will Be Quickly Taken

In view of the pronounced shortage of Government and municipal bonds, due to the smaller volume of financing in 1926, it is expected that the present offering will be quickly taken up by investors. It will be recalled that in the case of the Dominion Loan last September, orders from the larger buyers exceeded the amount of the issue and it was found necessary to scale down these large applications in order that bonds might be retained to meet the private investor demand. It is understood that the syndicate offering the bonds will again follow the policy of distributing them as widely as possible by giving small investors throughout the country a full opportunity to participate. In order that bonds will be available, it is expected that it will again be necessary to allot larger buyers a less amount than applied for.

Refunding Purposes

The proceeds of the issue are to be used for refunding purposes and will be applied toward retiring $70,000,000 of short term notes, and $25,000,000 of bonds, maturing April 1. Both issues were payable in United States funds and the new issue is another step toward meeting the financial requirements of the Government by borrowing at home rather than abroad. In the present case the interest coupons on the new bonds will be payable only in Canada, whereas the notes and bonds being refunded were payable in United States funds.

The bonds run for a longer term than any other direct Dominion bond available in the market. Dealers are urging clients to forward applications as quickly as possible, in order to ensure fulfillment of orders.

SPILLERS TO SELL PRAIRIE INTERESTS

Letting Holdings in Alberta Pacific Company Go—Vancouver Elevator May Also Be Sold

LONDON, March 1.—Spillers Overseas Industries, which is controlled by Spillers Milling & Associated Industries, informs the Canadian Press that it has approved a draft agreement with certain Canadian interests for the sale of the assets of the Alberta Pacific Grain Company in which Spillers holds fifty-one per cent of the shares.

The Spillers firm states that they have not sold their other interests in Canada, comprising the Terminal elevator and flour mill at Vancouver and also the mill under erection at Calgary, but it is believed negotiations are in progress regarding the sale of the Vancouver elevator. It is definitely stated, however, that the Spillers flour milling programme in Canada is unchanged. The contract for the machinery for the new mill at Calgary is already placed and the completion of the mill will be pushed forward this Summer.

When the Spaniards came to Colombia in the sixteenth century they found the natives using platinum in jewelry.

TODAY'S RADIO

Programme of Principal Western Broadcasting Stations

CFCT, Victoria, B.C. (329.5)—This evening, 8 o'clock, a play entitled "Static," played by local talent and presented by Stevenson's Home-Made Chocolates.

KGO, Oakland, Cal. (361)—4-5:30 p.m., concert orchestra of the Hotel St. Francis, San Francisco, Vinton La Ferrera conducting. 6-6:55 p.m., dinner concert. 6:55 p.m., News items and final reading of weather and stock reports and S.F. produce news. 8-9 p.m., Everready programme (San Francisco studio).

KOA, Denver, Colo. (323)—5:30 p.m., dinner concert, Brown Palace String orchestra, Howard Tillotson, director. 6:30 p.m., farm question box.

KFWO, Avalon, Catalina Is. (211)—5-6 p.m., Miss Hewitt's Golden Hour. 6:30-7:45 p.m., Hotel St. Catherine Orchestra and studio programme. 7:45-8:30 p.m., studio programme and weekly nature talk on Catalina Island.

KFWB, Hollywood, Cal. (252)—5-6 p.m., children's hour. 8-10 p.m., studio programme; vocal and instrumental numbers.

KTHI, Los Angeles, Cal. (294)—7:15-8 p.m., Aunt Martha's children's hour. 8-9 p.m., studio programme.

CNRR, Regina, Sask. (476)—7 p.m., kiddies' bedtime story by Aunt Jenny; studio programme by the Queen City Mandolin Club.

CNRV, Vancouver, B.C. (291)—3:30 p.m., Talk on subjects of general interest to women, followed by a musical programme. 7:30 p.m., health talk by Dr. C. S. Parrett, medical superintendent of the Resthaven Sanitarium, Sidney, B.C. 8 p.m., address, "What the Average Girl Needs," given by Miss M. L. Bolton, Dean of Women, University of British Columbia. 8:30 p.m., studio programme, the B.C. Musical Festival.

CFYC, Vancouver, B.C. (411)—4:30-5:30 p.m., studio programme. 7-7:30 Evening Information Service.

CFAC, Calgary, Alta., (436)—7:15 p.m., Ladies' Concert Trio under direction of Gladys Webb Foster.

KFAU, Boise, Idaho (280)—6.30 p.m., children's programme directed by Miss Mildred Selby, featuring Miss Margaret Cunningham in children's songs. 7-8:30 p.m., "Public Speaking," by Rev. J. George Cunningham, followed by a programme of plays, readings and music, directed by Mrs. Fritz Hummel, featuring Mrs. Eileen McCulla Ristine.

CKCD, Vancouver, B.C. (411)—8:30-8:50 p.m., news.

CFCQ, Vancouver, B.C., (411)—12-1:30 p.m., Radio dealers' programme. 2:30-4:30 p.m., variety programme. 7:30-8 p.m., to be announced.

Had 43 Boils And Carbuncles At One Time

Mr. Claud Melanson, Castleford, Ont., writes:—"In regard to your remedies I have to say that B.B.B. was the only medicine I could get to relieve me of my boils and carbuncles.

I had forty-three at one time, and my doctor told me to take

Burdock BLOOD BITTERS

The first bottle I took gave me such great results that I took three more, and after I had used them I was completely relieved of my boils and carbuncles."

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HON. MR. DUNNING LEAVES FOR WEST

OTTAWA, March 1.—Hon. Charles A. Dunning, former Premier of Saskatchewan, who was today sworn in as Federal Minister of Railways and Canals, left tonight for Regina in case his candidature in that city is contested in the coming by-election. He spent a busy day today becoming acquainted with his new duties.

Sir Henry Thornton, president of the Canadian National Railways, paid a flying visit to the capital to meet the new minister.

NASH PRESIDENT GOES ON STAND

FORTY PER CENT OF CANADA'S PRODUCE HANDLED BY COMPANY'S HOUSES

Broker-Jobber Combine Benefit to Producers, Witness Declares at Fruit Trial

VANCOUVER, March 1.—H. B. Finch, president of Nash Shareholders' Company, Minneapolis, testified in assize court here this afternoon in the trial of fifty-three defendants charged with conspiracy, that forty per cent of Canada's produce business is handled by Nash houses. Mr. Finch is a defence witness. Cross-examination of Mr. Finch will be resumed tomorrow by J. C. McRuer, K. C., crown prosecutor.

Through central office organization, blanket insurance was written for the various Nash companies at a cheaper rate than they would otherwise have had to pay, said witness.

In answer to questions of A. McLeod Sinclair, K. C., defence counsel, witness said that the plan of linking brokerage and jobbing houses proved very successful and was the best method of serving all concerned. He said that the Nash organization is in a position to render service to a greater degree than any selling organization which has not the Nash support of distributing or jobbing firms. At the peak of a fruit season, when the supply exceeds the demand, the whole selling organization is used to dispose of the crop, he explained.

He contended that the price is set by the consumer, who pays what he wants and no more. He expressed the opinion that the method adopted by the Nash organization had done a great deal for the producers.

Mr. Finch said that he did not know of any occasion when a Nash broker had sacrificed a shipper's interest for that of a Nash jobber. He explained that general instructions had been issued to brokers that the duty of a broker is to his principal and that the broker should handle the principal's business with that obligation.

Asked whether dishonest practices had been discovered in the Nash organization, Mr. Finch said that there had been a few and in each case the employee was either discharged or disciplined.

Defence Case Opened

Mr. Sinclair remarked, on opening the address for the defence this morning, that he would adduce facts before the jury to prove that defendants are not guilty.

He explained that the defendant brokerage houses, in addition to conducting the business of a broker, bought and sold goods on their own account. Mr. Sinclair stated that the defence would show that the brokerage houses carried on these two kinds of business. The Nash organization started, he said, in 1887 when three Nash brothers established in Grand Forks, N.D., a wholesale warehouse for groceries and fruit. Nine years later they opened a similar business in Minnesota. Because of the United States anti-trust laws, each business, stated Mr. Sinclair, was operated as a separate entity.

Nineteen years ago Nash Brothers came to Canada and established houses at Brandon, Winnipeg, Regina, Moose Jaw, Saskatoon, Swift Current, Calgary, Edmonton, Medicine Hat and Lethbridge.

Nash Shareholders Organized

After the organization developed there was a need for a service company, composed of experts, said Mr. Sinclair, and the General Brokerage Company, which later became the Nash Shareholders Company, was founded.

The company's headquarters was in Minneapolis and the larger shareholders were the Nash Brothers and H. P. Finch.

The supervision expense was paid by Nash Shareholders, said counsel, who added that the company did not exist to make profits. The service cost is charged against the various houses in proportion to the services rendered them, he said.

On instructions of the Victoria Hothouse Association, ten cents a crate was paid to Prairie brokers, he said, and similarly, a twenty-five cent charge for cartage and handling was authorized.

Mr. Sinclair explained that contracts entered into in 1923 and 1924 between Mutual, Vancouver, and Victoria Hothouse Association were really never acted upon and that the goods were handled on a different basis.

Colds Are Not Necessary Evils

Observance of One Fundamental Rule of Health Protects Against Them

Whether one catches cold easily is largely a question of physical condition. If the general vitality is low, resistance to disease is weak and at such a time a cold is easy to contract and difficult to check.

Constipation is frequently the cause of such a state of health, with its attendant listlessness, biliousness, headaches and a general lack of vitality. Poisons from the waste matter that remains behind after improper, irregular bowel elimination are picked up by the blood and carried to every part of the body. They weaken your resistance to disease.

Thousands of people who have suffered from self-poisoning in this way have found that *Nujol*, the internal lubricant makes bowel elimination sure and easy.

Nujol softens the waste matter and permits thorough and regular elimination without overtaxing the intestinal muscles. *Nujol* can be taken for any length of time with no ill effects.

If you take cold easily, ask your druggist for *Nujol* to-day—and remember, look for the name "*Nujol*" in red on both bottle and package.

REALTY OPERATORS PRESS REDUCTIONS

COUNCIL TOLD ECONOMICS ARE IMPERATIVE IN VIEW OF FINANCIAL STATUS

Some Aldermen Feel Wage Increase Necessary—Alderman Holmes Outlines Suggestions

Requesting the City Council to practice rigid economy and pare its estimates down to a minimum, in order that the 1926 tax rate would be as low as last year, the Real Estate Board of Victoria presented its case on civic finances to the Council last night at the City Hall.

Mr. Joseph C. Bridgman headed the delegation of local realtors, which included Messrs. Fred B. Pemberton, David Leeming, E. H. Wilson, Beaumont Boggs, J. Hebden Gillespie, C. S. Marchant, Harold H. Brown and Hubert Lethaby, secretary of the Board.

Messrs. Bridgman, Pemberton, Leeming and Gillespie explained the purpose of the Real Estate Board deputation meeting the City Council, and expressed the hope that the Council, over which Alderman Marchant presided, would accede to their requests, which were outlined in a statement.

In part the resolution said:

Actual Surplus

"The Real Estate Board views with alarm the apparent tendency of the municipal council for 1926 to increase the expenditure in various departments. We are of the opinion that this tendency is caused by a misunderstanding of what is called the 'surplus' for the year 1925, which is even regarded by some as a 'profit' on the year's operations. Instead of which it should be remembered that it entirely arises from:

"A. Economies practised by 1925 Council, whereby the net sum of $43,000 was saved, being represented by savings in certain departments over certain over-expenditures in other departments.

"B. The sum of $44,000, being the excess of tax collections during 1925 over the amount estimated from that source.

"C. The sum of $20,000, being excess of licence fees collected and extra water collections.

"D. The sum of $150,000, being the net result received by the land department during the year 1925 and which moneys are earmarked by Provincial statute to be applied to the redemption of the extension securities debentures.

"The foregoing shows clearly that the apparent surplus, other than that arising from the sale of reverted lands, arises largely from money taken directly from the pockets of the taxpayers.

Board's Request

"In face of these conditions the board respectfully asks:

"1. That rigid economy be practised in all departments.

"2. That the contemplated increase in wages above that obtaining in other similar employs be not granted.

"3. That no new works be undertaken in the engineering or parks departments, except such as are unavoidably necessary."

The memorandum concludes:

"This can only be accomplished by reduction in taxes on real property, which is responsible for about two-thirds of the city's revenue.

"If the hope of reduced taxation, both as to the mill rate and assessment, held out to our citizens in 1925 is not realized, we fear the heroic efforts of our citizens to pay taxes will cease. Reversions will increase, the value of land will fall and the selling of reverted lands will terminate."

Requests Data

When the Board's members had presented their case, Alderman Woodward asked for items in detail to which they took exception. The 1926 Council had already reduced expenses below that of the previous year's body. "The 1925 Council has handed us a surplus, and we have reduced below their figures. There, I think it only fair that we are informed of the votes in the estimates to which they take exception."

Mr. Pemberton said that the realtors had not any specific items to mention, but their position was outlined in their statement. The Council had done considerable cutting already, but they wanted it to do still more.

"I imagine it is the increase in wages that is the chief criticism," volunteered Alderman Holmes.

Alderman Dewar said it was apparent that the wage question was the chief complaint.

Loss on Bad Weather

"I ask the deputation if they think that $102 is an extravagant wage. That is the most that a laborer working for the city can get, and if the weather is bad or other things happen, he does not even get that much in a month. The Department of Labor statistics show that the cost of living for a family of five is slightly more than $21 per week, which figure includes foodstuffs, fuel, and rent. But there is no provision for clothes, amusements, transportation, etc., in that," said Alderman Dewar.

Ald. Marchant said that if the City Council last year had adopted Ald. Woodward's civic debt readjustment plan, the tax rate this year would in any event be six mills less than in 1925. He hoped that the project would be revived this year.

"While the city has increased the wages of the outside laborers from $4 to $4.25, the average rate of pay in the United States for such employment is 54 cents per hour, or $4.32 per day. We made inquiries before we increased the wages, and found that we had been paying less than did Vancouver, Nanaimo and Esquimalt," Ald. Marchant said, adding that as the salaries of the higher paid civic employees had been increased previously, he thought that it was only right and just that the least paid of all should also receive raises.

Following completion of the agenda, Ald. Woodward suggested that the Real Estate Board be requested to supply the Council with the proposed expenditures of the city to which they take exception. He considered that the Council should show its firm disapproval of the action of the board in "trying to create alarm in the city."

Ald. Dewar moved a resolution, which was adopted after controversy, that the Council thank the Real Estate Board for their representations, and assure it that the matter would be considered.

Suggested Pruning

Ald. Holmes quoted the following items, included in the original estimates, which the city could, he said, get along without this year: Gorge House bathhouse, $2,000; fire chief's new car, $2,000; increase in street light plant capacity, $2,600; improvements at Beacon Hill, $1,000; widening Pandora Avenue roadway, $5,700; two items of $3,500 for roller rink. He thought that these matters were among those which prompted the realtors to wait on the Council and urge practice of economy.

"We have cut out all those estimates with the exception of the first two, which were altered and reduced substantially," Ald. Woodward stated.

Ald. Holmes dealt with school estimates, saying that there were fewer children in Oaklands district this year than in 1925, and that in the three years previous to 1926 there were more pupils attending that school than there were today. He quoted figures to substantiate his remarks.

MONTHLY MEETING OF ORPHANAGE IS HELD

Many Donations Are Received at the Protestant Home During the Last Month

The regular monthly meeting of the Protestant Orphanage was held yesterday at the home of the president, Mrs. Hiscocks, when the following members were present: Mrs. Derry, Mrs. Dinsmore, Mrs. Shepherd, Mrs. Walker, Mrs. Grimison, Mrs. Hughes, Mrs. McKeown, Mrs. Elliott, Mrs. Dorman, Mrs. Cox, Mrs. Wilkerson and Mrs. Sherwood. Through the kindness of Mrs. Genge, the children were entertained at the Crystal Garden, when eight received pictures of the Prince of Wales, as a prize for a composition on his travels in Africa and South America. Mrs. O. M. Brown's class of the First Baptist Church entertained the children at the Home on Wednesday evening. Mrs. Dinsmore and Mrs. Shepherd are the visitors for the month of March.

The committee wishes to thank the following for donations: Mrs. Cox, coat; Ministering Circle, King's Daughters, scarf; Saanich Health Centre, cake and sandwiches; City Hall Staff, cake and sandwiches; Ready-to-Help Circle, King's Daughters, two dresses, one apron, one skirt and one vest; Mr. Fuller, bread; Mr. Stevenson, candy; A. MacDonald & Co., eighty pounds rolled oats; Saanich Canning Co., one case clams, Smith, Davidson & Wright, one case toilet paper; Mitchell Bros., one case toilet paper; Mr. M. Terry, five dozen handkerchiefs; Mrs. J. H. Ross, shoes, chair and mattress; Simmonds, Ltd., six mattresses; A. P. Slade & Co., four sacks vegetables; Carter's Oriental Co., one mat; Burt's Meat Market, meat; Ward 5 Conservatives, sandwiches; A Friend, cake; Victoria Order Foresters, cake; Bert. H. Aaronson, goods, value $2.50; Oak Bay Hotel, $10; Weller's Furniture Co., goods, value $5; W. Walker & Son, two tons coal; Victoria Wood & Coal Co., Ltd., goods, value $9; Ladies' Committee, oilcloth for bathroom.

Dominion Unemployment Shows January Decrease

OTTAWA, March 1.—According to returns received from 5,817 employers, says The Bureau of Statistics, there was partial recovery on February 1, from the losses in employment recorded at the beginning of the year. The revival, like the declines from which it was a reaction, was less extensive than on the corresponding date of last year, but the situation this year was decidedly more favorable than on February 1, 1925.

"Abuse of tobacco leads to loss of memory!"

"Ah, that reminds me that I haven't lit my pipe!"—Pele Mele, Paris.

Commander-in-Chief of British Forces in China

VICE-ADMIRAL E. S. A. SINCLAIR
Commander-in-Chief of the British forces in China, who finds it necessary to keep a close watch all the time, for British interests are large and many in that part of the world.

Oaklands Annex to Be Financed in Votes Put Over Two Years

OAKLANDS School annex will be built this year. The final difficulties between the City Council and School Board were ironed out last night when, on motion of Trustees Litchfield and Walker, the city Board in special meeting agreed to the plan to finance the building in two annual instalments of $9,000 each, the estimates of 1926 and 1927 to be charged a moiety.

LEASE IS POSSIBLE TO ATHLETIC BODY

Esquimalt Council Advised That Under Certain Conditions Part of Park Might Be Granted

It would appear to be possible that there may be an arrangement entered into between the municipality of Esquimalt and the Athletic Association by which a lease of part of the park may be granted the latter organization in compliance with a request made at the last meeting of the Council. The opinion of the solicitor, Mr. G. H. Sedger, was read at the Council meeting last evening, giving the information that the deed to the land did not carry with it any specification as to how the different parts of the park were to be utilized.

He was of opinion that a grant of part of the land could be given for a term of years upon certain conditions that would be set out. To do this he felt it would be necessary to have a by-law voted upon by the ratepayers.

Definite Information

Preliminary to this action he advised that the association should specify exactly the parts of the park that were sought, and how long it was desired to control it. He considered that in carrying this out the association should be asked to incorporate, so that there would be an actual organization with which the municipality was dealing.

By resolution it was decided that the parks committee should have the matter referred to it and that it should meet Mr. Stewart and those interested with him in the matter and arrange if possible for a definite understanding.

Nothing for Publicity

The Publicity Bureau wrote asking for a grant to assist in the work the organization has in hand. A reply will be sent to the Bureau that the municipality has no funds this year for this purpose.

Miss H. M. Stevens who, for eight years has been stenographer and assistant to the municipal clerk of Esquimalt, has resigned her position. The letter conveying her resignation was read at last night's council meeting. A successor will be advertised for.

Leader's Mother Dies

EDMONTON, March 1.—Mrs. Isabella B. Mitchell, mother of Hon. C. R. Mitchell, Liberal leader, died unexpectedly at noon today at her son's residence. Deceased was a resident of twenty-five years in Alberta, having come to Medicine Hat in 1900 from Newcastle, N. B., on the death of her husband, James Mitchell. She was born at Truro, N. S., in December, 1837.

Great Britain Declines Invitation to Exhibition

LONDON, March 1.—Great Britain will not participate in the Philadelphia sesquicentennial exhibition, Arthur M. Samuel, Parliamentary Secretary, said the Government felt compelled to decline the invitation on the ground of time and national economy.

"Dictator's" Plot Fails

PRAGUE, March 1.—An attempt by Rudolph Roessler, an architect, to set himself up as dictator in the Karlshad district today ended a few hours after the "coup" started. He will be examined as to his sanity.

C.P.R. Earnings Grow

MONTREAL, March 1.—Canadian Pacific Railway gross earnings for the month of January were $13,470,131, and expenses $11,648,272. Net earnings were $1,801,858, an increase of $1,218,089. The increase in gross was $1,573,617.

MONTREAL PRODUCE

MONTREAL, March 1. — Eggs, weak; butter, strong; cheese, firm.

Cheese—Finest Westerns, 19 1-4 to 19 1-2 cents.

Butter—No. 1 pasteurized, 45 1-2 cents.

Eggs—Storage extras, 32 cents; storage firsts, 27 cents; storage seconds, 23 cents; fresh extras, 32 cents.

Potatoes—Per bag, car lots, $2.75.

Together they had broken the wishbone and she held the longest piece.

"Now, what shall I wish for?" she mused. "Really, I can't think."

"O, wish for anything," he suggested brilliantly.

But still her brow wore a puckered frown.

"O, well, if it's as hard as all that, I'll wish for you," he said obligingly.

"O, John," she cried happily, "you really wish for me, dear? Then you can have me! This is sudden!"

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Finance and Commerce

GENERAL DECLINE FEATURES TRADING

INITIAL DEALS SHOW STRENGTH BUT LATER TRANSACTIONS FALL OFF BADLY

High-Grade Issues Among Sufferers—Many Touch New Low Levels for Year—Bonds Weaken

NEW YORK, March 1.—Acute weakness developed today in all the principal securities and commodities markets.

Announcement before the opening that banking interests had taken over holdings of certain groups which had been operating in American Brake and Foundry, Foundation Company and New York Canners, all of which had recorded violent declines on Saturday, inspired sufficient short covering to give initial transactions a firm tone.

Sweeping declines took place in many sections of the list. Such high-grade issues as United States Steel common, American Smelting, Standard Oil of New Jersey, Mack Trucks, New York Central, Atchison, Union Pacific and Southern Railway, were driven down to new low levels for the year, although closing quotations, in many cases, were above the low levels for the day.

United States Steel common rallied from a low of 122½ to 122¾, where it was off 1¼ net.

Call money renewed at 5½ per cent, but funds became more plentiful during the afternoon, and the rate eased to 5 per cent. Time money, which was available at 4¾ for some of the shorter maturities until recently, was quoted on a flat 4¾ per cent basis. Commercial paper rates were unchanged.

The bond market shared in the general depression which marked trading in securities and commodities. Activity was restricted by the diversion of speculative interest to the drastic decline in the stock market and the continued firmness of money rates. Trading also suffered from the counter demand for funds for March tax payments and other purposes.

(All Fractions in Eighths)

	High	Low	Bid
Allis Chalmers	48-3	48-3	48-3
Allied Chemical	126	120-4	121-4
Am. Beet Sugar	34	34	34
Am. Bosch Mag.	28-4	28-4	28-4
Am. Can.	324-4	318	322
Am. Car & Fdy.	161-4	161-4	161-4
Am. Intl Corp	43-6	43-6	43-6
Am. Linseed	37-6	37	37-6
Am. Locomotive	164-3	162-4	163
Am. Smeltters	131-3	128-5	129-3
Am. Steel Fdy.	42-1	42-1	42-4
Am. Sugar rv div.	77-4	76-1	76-4
Am. Sum. Tob.	11-8	11-8	11-8
Am. Tel & Tel.	147-4	146-4	146
Am. Tobacco	116	114-1	115
Am. Tobacco "B"	114-3	114-3	114-3
Am. Woolens	32-7	32-7	32-7
Anaconda	47	46-3	46-3
Armour "A"	24-5	24-3	24-4
Atlantic Gulf	43-5	43-5	43-5
Atchison	129	127-6	127-6
Baldwin Loco.	107-4	104-5	105
Baltimore & Ohio	91	89-4	89-4
Bethlehem Steel	41-7	41-2	41-4
Brooklyn Manhat	62	62	62
California Packing	135-4	132-4	134-4
California Pete.	33-5	33-6	33-6
Can. Pacific ex div.	151-7	150-6	150-6
Central Leather	17-5	17-5	17-5
Cerro De Pasco	65	64	64
Chandler	44-4	44-4	44-4
Chesapeake & Ohio	115	114-3	114-3
Chic. Gt Western	10	10	10
Chic., Mil. & St. P.	12-4	12-4	12-4
Chic. & Northwest	69-4	69-4	69-4
Chic. Rl. & Pac.	48-4	48-4	48-4
Chrysler Motor	44-6	42-4	44
Coca Cola	140-4	132-6	136-3
Colo. Fuel & Iron	26-6	26-6	26-6
Columbia Gas	80	80	80
Cons. Gas	95-2	94	94
Cont. Can	63-5	63-5	63-5
Cont. Oil	33-3	32-3	32-3
Cont. Motor	11-3	11-1	11-1
Corn Products	36-7	37-6	37-6
Cuaden Oil	62-4	32-4	32-4
Crucible Steel	69	68-4	68-4
Cuba Am. Sugar	28-1	28-1	28-1
Davison Chemical	42-4	42-1	42-4
Del. Lack. & West	146-6	146-6	146-6
Dodge Bros.	68-7	37-2	37-2
Dodge Bros. pfd.	86-2	86	86
Dupon Powder ex div.	221	220	221
Elec. Power	27	26-2	26-3
Erie	37-3	36-4	36-6
Erie 1st pfd.	43-3	43	43
Famous Players	119-6	115	116-6
Engineer	74	74	74
Fisher Body	94-1	93	93
General Asphalt	54-3	54-3	54-3
General Cigar	109-2	Low	Low
General Electric	344	339	338
General Motors	126	132-3	122-6
Goodrich Rubber	61-4	60-6	61
Granby	20-3	20	20
Great Northern (ire.	35-4	35-4	35-4
Great Northern pfd.	72	72	72
Gt. West Sugar	100-7	100	100
Gulf States Steel	80	80	80
Houston Oil	68-3	68-2	68-2
Howe Sound	34-4	33-4	33-4
Illinois Central	117	117	117
Imperial Oil	28-1	28-1	28-1
Inspiration	24	24	24
Intl Comb. Eng	52-2	48-7	48-6
Intl. Paie	32-3	32-3	32-3
Intl. Mer. Marine	10	10	10
Intl. Mer. Mar. pfd.	35	35	35
Intl Nickel	39-6	39	39
Intl. Tel & Tel.	114-6	113	113
Kan. City South	42-2	42-2	42-2
Kennecott Copper	55	54-4	54-4
Keystone Tire	1-4	1-4	1-4
Lehigh Valley	81	81	81
Louisiana Oil	16-1	16-1	16-1
Louis. & Nash.	128-3	126	126-3
Mack Truck	130	125-4	126-4
Marland Oil	56-6	55	55-2
Mexican Seaboard	8-2	8-2	8-2
Miami	12-2	12-2	12-2
Miss Pacific	34	34	34
Miss Pac pfd	80-4	79	79
Montana Power	77-6	76	76
Montgomery Ward	75	72	72-4
Moon Motor	34-2	34	34-2
Motherlode	7	7	7
Motor Wheel	31-4	31-2	31-3
Nall Biscuit	44-4	43-7	44-4
Natl. Dairy Prod	65-2	64-6	64-6
Natl Lead	187	187	187
Norfolk & West	147	146	147
North American	60	57-4	57-7
Northern Pacific	71	71	71
N.Y. Central	126-7	126-5	126-6
N.Y., N.H. & Hart.	43-2	43-2	43-2
N.Y., Ont. & West	25	25	25
Packard Motor	37-4	37	37
Pacific Oil	80-5	79-3	79-4
Pan American	64-7	63-4	63-4
Pan American "B"	66-2	65-3	64
Pennsylvania R.R.	50-7	50-7	50-7
Peoples Gas	123-3	123-3	123-3
Pere Marquette	82-6	82-6	82-6
Phil. Reading Coal	41-7	41-7	41-7
Phillips Pete	45	44-4	44-6
Pierce Arrow	35-2	32-7	33-4
Prod. & Ref.	14-2	14-2	14-2
Pullman Co.	157	157	157
Pure Oil	27-6	27-5	27-5
Radio	24-4	24	24-3
Hall Steel Spring	154-5	154-5	154-5
Ray Cons	11-7	11-6	11-6
Reading	85-2	85-4	85-5
Rep. Iron & Steel	53	53	53
Royal Dutch	51-7	51-7	51-7
Savage Arms	59-1	56-7	56-7
Schulte	125	124-4	124-4
Sears Roebuck	203-2	201-4	201-6
Shell Union	26-6	25-1	25-1
Sinclair Cons.	23-6	23-1	23-1
Sloss Sheffield	115-2	112-2	113-4
Southern Pacific	99-4	99	99-1
Southern Railway	112-4	111-6	111-6
Standard Gas	59-2	58-2	58-5
Standard Oil, Cal.	56-3	55-4	55-4
Standard Oil, N.J.	42-1	41-7	41-7
Standard Oil, Ind.	64-6	64-6	64-6
Stewart Warner	84-4	78-4	78-4
St. Louis & S. Fran	95	93-4	94
Stromberg Carb.	72	72	72
Studebaker	69-4	67-2	67-5
Tennessee Copper	12-5	12-5	12-5
Texas Co.	52-3	51-3	51-3
Texas Gulf Sul. ex div.	133	130-3	130-3
Texas Pac. R.R.	51-4	51-4	51-4
Texas Pac. C. & O.	14-3	14-3	14-3
Timken Roller	82-3	82-3	82-3
Tobacco Prod.	107-7	104	105-4
Tobacco Prod. "A"	111-4	111	111
Transcont. Oil	3-6	3-6	3-6
Union Pacific	144-4	142-7	142-7
U.S. Cast I. Pipe	180	178-4	177-3
U.S. Ind. Alco.	56-7	56-3	56-7
U.S. Rubber	76-2	72-7	72-4
U.S. Steel	126	122-7	122-6
Universal Pipe	24	22-6	22-6
Vanadium	30-2	30-2	30-2
Wabash	74	74	74
Western Union	140-3	138	138
Western Pacific	76-7	76-5	76-7
Westing Elec.	73-6	73-7	72-7
White Motor	80-2	78-4	78-1
Willys-Overland	28-3	28-1	28-4
Willys-Overland pfd	96-4	95-4	96-3
Woolworth	196-7	181	183-7
Worth Pump	69	59	59
Yg'stn Sh. & Tu.	78-3	78-3	78-3

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, March 1.—Foreign exchanges steady. Quotations in cents: France—3.66½; cables 3.67. Italy—4.08½, cables 4.09. Belgium—4.54½. Germany—23.80. Holland—40.02. Norway—21.80. Sweden—26.82. Denmark—23.96. Switzerland—19.24. Spain—14.09. Greece—1.44. Poland—.1930. Czechs-Slovakia—2.97. Jugo-Slavia—1.76. Austria—.14. Rumania—.43½. Argentina—40.75. Brazil—14.70. Tokio—46½. Shanghai—74½. Montreal—99 9-16.

STERLING EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, March 1.—Sterling exchange easy. Demand 485 9-16, cables 485 15-16, 60-day bills on banks 481¼.

At Victoria

Buying 480, selling 485.

MONTREAL STOCKS

(Supplied by R. P. Clark & Co., Ltd.)

(All Fractions in Eighths)

	Close
Abitibi	78-4
Asbestos	84-4
Asbestos pfd.	111
Atlantic Sugar	24-4
Bell Telephone	138-4
Brazilian Trac.	95-4
B.C. Fishing & Packing	75-2
Brompton Paper	32
Can. Cement com.	104-3
Can. Cement pfd	115-5
Can. Car Fdy. com.	45
Can. Car Fdy. pfd.	83-3
Can. S.S. com.	14-4
Can. S.S. pfd	64-3
Can. Cottons	123
Can. Converters	94
Cons. Mining & Smelting	259
Dominion Bridge	96
Can. Ind. Alcohol	17-1
Dominion Glass	94-4
Dominion Textile	97
Howard Smith	48
Lake of Woods Milling	170
Laurentide Co.	90
Mackay Co.	135-4
Montreal Power	226-4
National Breweries	83
Ontario Steel	76-4
Ogilvie Milling Co.	200
Ottawa Power	160
Penmans, Ltd.	178
Shawinigan	148
Spanish River Pulp	104-4
Spanish River Pulp pfd.	117-4
Steel of Canada	101-2
Twin City Elec.	74

MONTREAL CURB SALES

	High	Low	Close
Amer. Cigar	165	165	165
Bell Telephone	138	138	138
Brazilian	95-4	95-4	95-4
Can. Bread	18	18	18
Can. Cement	104-3	104-3	104-3
Can. Cement pfd	115-5	115-5	115-5
Can. Car & Fdy.	83-3	83-3	83-3
Can. Steamships	14	14	14
Can. Steamships pfd	64-3	64-3	64-3
Can. Vickers	30	30	30
Can. Wire & Cable B	97	97	97
Cons. Smelting	259	259	259
Dominion Bridge	96	96	96
Gen. Steel Wares	40	40	40
Ltd. Loan & Guar.	165	165	165
Maple Leaf Milling	19	19	19
Penmans	178	178	178
Quebec Power	32	32	32
Riordon	115	115	115
Russelt	100	100	100
Shawinigan	148	148	148
Spanish River Pulp	104-4	104-4	104-4
Steel of Canada	101-2	101-2	101-2
Twin City	74	74	74

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DRASTIC DECLINES HIT WHEAT MARKET

Long Liquidation Caused by News From United States Causes Record Lows at Winnipeg

WINNIPEG, March 1.—Weakness in United States markets, which caused local "longs" to liquidate, resulted in drastic declines on the wheat market here today. Record low marks were reached, closing quotations registering losses of 5½ cents, with May at $1.46¾, July at $1.44 and October at $1.29¾. There was general selling during the session and the buying support was exceptionally poor. All markets ran into stop-loss selling, while exporters and millers were out of the pit.

After opening fractionally lower, the market rallied a little, but with the publication of the United States farm reserves, which traders considered bullish, weakness quickly developed. Snow's report placed the United States farm reserves at 96,428,000 bushels.

Coarse grain markets reflected the decline in wheat prices, and all markets fell to new levels. Flax declined 3 to 6 cents, with scattered liquidation again in evidence.

Cash markets were weak and featureless.

Wheat—	Open	High	Low	Close
May	151	151⅛	146	146⅛
July	148⅝	149⅛	144	144
Oct.	132⅝	132⅛	129⅝	129⅝ b
Oats—				
May	47	47	46⅛	46⅛
July	47⅝	47⅝	47⅛	47⅛
Oct.	46⅝	46⅝	45⅝	45⅝ a
Barley—				
May	61⅝	61⅝	60½	60½
July	63⅛	63⅛	62	62a
Flax—				
May	204⅝	204⅝	199⅛	199⅛
July	206⅛	206⅝	201⅛	201⅛
Rye—				
May	91⅝	91⅝	85⅛	85⅛ b
July	92	92⅛	85⅝	85⅝ a
Oct.	84	85b	82⅝	82⅝ a

Cash Prices

Wheat—1 nor., 144⅝; 2 nor., 139⅝; 3 nor., 135⅝; No. 4, 127⅝; No. 5, 118⅝; No. 6, 101⅝; feed, 81⅝; track, 144⅝; screenings, $3 a ton.

Oats—2 cw., 44⅞; 3 cw., 40⅝; extra 1 feed, 40⅝; 1 feed, 38⅝; 2 feed, 35⅝; rejected, 45; track, 45.

Barley—3 cw., 55⅝; 4 cw., 53⅛; rejected, 50⅝; feed, 49⅝; track, 58.

Flax—1 nwc., 195⅝; 2 cw., 191; 3 cw., 179⅝; rejected, 168⅝; track, 195⅝.

Rye—2 cw., 82⅝.

Spokane Stocks

(From Northwest Mines Investment, through R. P. Castle & Co.)

	Bid	Asked
Ajax	.30	.35
Amberg'ris	.08	.15
Caledonia	.07	.10
Callahan Zinc-Lead	2.00	2.20
Gladstone Mountain	.30	.40
Hecla	17.00	19.00
Leadmelt	.07½	.08
Lucky Jim	.16	.19
Marsh Cons	.07	.08
Premier Gold	2.55	2.75
Richmond Cons	0.3⅞	0.4⅝
Sherman Lead	.18	.21
Silvermith	.16½	.18½
Standard	.09	.16
Sunshine	.25	.32
Stratton	.50	.56
Tamarack	.35	.41
Western Union	0.8⅞	.09½

FOREIGN BONDS

(Supplied by R. P. Clark & Co., Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
French 7's, 1949	85⅝	90⅝
French 7½'s, 1941	95⅝	99⅝
French 5's, 1945	102⅛	104
Austrian 7's, 1943	101⅛	101⅝
German 7's, 1949	101½	102

SILVER MARKETS

NEW YORK, March 1.—Bar silver, 66 1-4c. Mexican dollars, 51c.

At London

LONDON, March 1.—Bar silver, 30 9-16d per ounce.

President of Livestock Producers of Canada, Ltd.

MR. H. P. KENNEDY

President of Livestock Producers of Canada, Limited, Toronto, is largely responsible for the newly organized Livestock Steamships, Limited, whose inaugural sailing of the Ss. Ontario from Saint John, N.B., for Glasgow, Scotland, took place recently. The vessels of the new company are especially equipped for transportation of cattle, and the Ontario carried a capacity load of 1,168 head on her maiden trip. Mr. Kennedy is prominent in Canadian trade, being president of Edmonton Stockyards, Limited; Quebec Terminals, Limited, and H. P. Kennedy, Limited, livestock dealers.

Victoria Stock Exchange

Mining

	Bid	Asked
B.C. Silver	..	1.55
Dunwell Mines	..	2.33
Glacier Creek	..	.15
Gladstone	..	.40
Howe Sound	30.00	37.00
Goldamith	..	.15
Independence	.09½	.16
Indian Mines	..	.06½
I. & L. Glacier	.15	.20
Lakeview	.04	.05
Lucky Jim	.18	..
Leadamith	.07	.08½
Malaspina	.12	.20
Marmot Metals	..	.10
Porter-Idaho	..	12½
Premier Mines	2.50	2.00
Rufus	..	.10½
Ruth Hope	..	.35
Selkirks	..	.04
Silveramith	..	.16
Terminus	..	.20
Victoria	..	.25

NEW YORK CURB

(Supplied by R. P. Clark & Co., Ltd.)

2 O'CLOCK LIST

Industrials	Bid	Asked
Annie Coal	5	25
Centrifugal	21½	22½
Checker Cab	12	12½
Durant Del.	10½	11½
Mesabi	1⅛	1½
Hiuis	29	30
Reo	23⅝	23⅞
Tob. Prod. Ex.	4⅝	5
Un. Profit Shar.	12½	13⅝
Un. Retail Candy	7½	7⅞
Cities Serv. com.	40⅝	41
Cities Serv. pfd.	83½	12½
Cities Serv. bkrs	29½	31
Am. Gas El.	81	84
Lehigh Pow. Secs.	16½	17
Oils		
Carib	11⅛	15⅛
Glenrock	6	20
Int. Pete	22	22¼
Marl. Mex	2⅛	4
Mexico Oil	9	10
Cont'l Oil	22	22½
Noble Oil	6	8
Pennock Oil	20½	21
Ryan Cons	6⅝	7
Sapulpa	1	2
Salt Cr. Prod.	30⅝	31
Salt Cr. Cons.	9⅛	9⅝
Wilcox	25⅛	25½
City	12	13⅝
Mo.	24⅝	24⅞
Kpc.	2⅛	2⅝
Mines		
Ariz. Globe	16	18
Rutle and West.	..	10
Cal Jerome	10	16
Cons. Corp.	1⅝	2
Cresson	2⅞	2⅛
Dwinnes	60	75
Eureka	5	6
Hecla	17½	18
Hollinger	18⅝	19
J. V. Devel	1⅛	1⅝
Kerr Lake	1⅞	1⅝
Mason Valley	2⅛	2½
Nipissing	6	6½
Ohio Copper	63	64
Teck Hughes	3 3-16	3 7-16
Un. Eastern	45	46
Un. Verde Ext.	24½	25
Wayne Coal	2	10
New Montana	51	54

VICTORY AND WAR BONDS

(Supplied by R. P. Clark & Co., Ltd.)

Victory Loan, 5½%—Tax Free

Interest due	Bid	Ask
1927, 1st June & Dec.	101.90	102.00
1933, 1st May & Nov.	106.75	106.75
1937, 1st June & Dec.	106.75	105.75
War Loan, 5%—Tax Free		
1931, 1st April & Oct.	101.90	102.00
1937, 1st Mar. & Sept.	104.05	105.05
(Payable New York)		
Victory Loan, 5½%		
1927, 1st May & Nov.	101.15	102.15
1932, 1st May & Nov.	102.90	106.90
1934, 1st May & Nov.	103.50	104.50
Dominion Loan		
1928, 15th April & Oct. 5%	100.50	101.50
1943, 15th April & Oct. 5%	101.25	102.25
1940, 1st Mar. & Sept. 4½%	95.95	96.95
1944, 15th April & Oct. 4½%	96.15	97.15
1924, 1st Feb. & Aug. (C.N.R.) 5%	..	102.00

Add accrued interest to date.
1927, 1937—96 days, $1.356 per $100
1927, 1932, 1934, 1934—126 days, $1.604 per $100.
1926, 1943—127 days, $1.677 per $100
1944—127 days, $1.683 per $100

VANCOUVER EXCHANGE

(Supplied by R. P. Clark & Co., Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
B.C. Silver	1.75	1.80
Bayview	..	.12
Dunwell	2.13	2.20
Glacier	.13	.15
Hamilton	..	.01½
Gladstone	.07½	.08½
Howe Sound	34.00	36.00
Indian	.05½	.06½
Intl. Coal	.11	.14
L. and L. Glacier	.17½	.20
Lucky Jim	.18	.19
Nail Silver	..	.15
Premier	2.55	2.70
Ruth Hope	.31	.36
Silver Crest	.12	.15
Silveramith	.16	.18
Surf Inlet	.09	.10
B.C. Montana	.06½	.06 5-16
Porter Idaho	.10	.12
Independence	.09½	.16½

METAL MARKETS

NEW YORK, March 1.—Copper quiet; electrolytic, spot and futures, 14 1-8 to 14 1-4c. Tin firm; spot and nearby, $44.87; futures, $43.37. Iron steady; No. 1 northern, $22 to $23.50; No. 2 northern, $21 to $22.50; No. 2 southern, $22 to $23. Lead steady; spot, $9. Zinc easy; East St. Louis, spot and futures, $7.45 to $7.50. Antimony, spot, $21 to $21.50.

At London

LONDON, March 1.—Standard copper, spot, £58 18s 6d; futures, £60. Electrolytic, spot £65 18s; futures, £66 5s. Tin, spot £295 17s 6d; futures, £285 17s 6d. Lead, spot, £33; futures, £33 5s. Zinc, spot, £25.

MONEY MARKETS

LONDON, March 1.—Money, 4 per cent. Discount rates: short bills, 4 1-8 to 4 1-4; three months' bills, 4 1-16 to 4 1-8.

At New York

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Chicago Grain

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CHICAGO, March 1.—Wheat: Sustained the severest break in weeks. After holding steady early despite the easiness abroad, the market tumbled badly when private experts issued their estimates on farm reservations of March 1. The figures on the face of it were bullish, all showing less wheat in first hands than for the last thirty years at this time, but the trade presumably was looking for more radical estimates. Selling was persistent and market acted as though large holders were getting out. Buying power was poor. Short covering was heavy at times, but it only served to cate for the wheat pouring in the pit. Demand from foreigners continued slow. Visible for the wheat showed decrease 1,130,000 bushels; world's shipments were 11,428,000 bushels, compared with 12,774,000 the previous week, and 18,834,000 last year. Supplies on passage increased 1,880,000 bushels. Demand for the cash article was checked by the sudden weakness in futures. Three private experts' figures averaged 95,000,000 bushels on farm reserves, and one placed the amount at 79,000,000 bushels, the latter figure being ignored.

Wheat has been unsettled by this fresh wave of liquidation, and for the present swings are likely to be of the erratic kind.

Corn: Developed weakness along with the leading cereal and broke sharply. Farm reserve estimates on this grain were regarded as bearish, the figures showing that despite the large crop raised this season, compared with last year, farm disappearance has been no greater. Estimates on farm reserves as of March 1 ranged from 1,247,000,000 to 1,395,000,000 bushels. Liquidation in this grain was apparent, with the dips meeting short covering. The visible increased 1,737,000 bushels.

Oats: Sold off with other grains. Reserve estimates indicated that supplies of this grain in first hands are moderate when the crop raised is considered, but they had little effect in the trend. Buying power was dissipated by the slump in other grains.

Rye: Trailed wheat to lower levels. Liquidation met little demand. Covering by shorts cared for the bulk of the offerings. For the present rye is likely to sympathize with swings in the leading cereal.

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
May (new)	165⅛	166	158⅝	159
May	164⅝	164⅝	157⅝	157⅝
July	144⅝	144⅝	140	140⅛
Sept	137⅛	138	134⅛	134⅛
Corn—				
May	80⅛	80⅝	77⅛	77⅝
July	81⅛	81⅛	80⅝	80⅝
Sept	84⅝	84⅝	82⅝	82⅝
Oats—				
May	41⅝	41⅝	40⅝	40⅛
July	42⅝	42⅝	41⅛	41⅛
Rye—				
May	91⅛	91⅝	87⅛	87⅝
July	92⅝	92⅝	88⅛	88⅛

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Vancouver Island News

SALMON TROLLING ON WEST COAST RESUMES

Animated Scene at Tofino When Fishermen Begin Activities for Season —Several Catches Reported

TOFINO, Feb. 26. (By Mail)—The salmon trolling season has opened up again and there is a decided appearance of animation along the waterfront, which affords a grateful contrast to the lethargy of Winter. Fishing boats are scurrying in all directions across the bay, engines are being tuned up, and fishing gear is being tested and adjusted to garner in the harvest of the sea.

Several catches have already been made at Sydney Inlet, some of them running as high as three hundred pounds, and several small catches have been made close to Tofino. Everything points to a successful season, as these catches were effected at short intervals, during the occasional calms that have intervened between the high winds that have prevailed along the coast during the past month.

The Tofino Ladies' Guild, acting under the capable directorship of Mr. E. W. Abraham, held an official meeting in the Community Hall on Wednesday afternoon, to attend to routine business and map out an effective plan of campaign for the ensuing season. Among the prominent members present were Mrs. Anton Hanson, Mrs. Clarence Dawley, Mrs. Tom Wingan, Mrs. Virge Craus, Mrs. Donald McKenzie, Mrs. John Hanson, Mrs. Duncan Grant, Miss Winnie Dixon and Mrs. Allard.

On the same evening a dance was given at the Community Hall by the combined crews of the storm-tossed halibut boats lying in the harbor.

Women's Auxiliary Holds Monthly Session

COWICHAN STATION, March 1.—The monthly meeting of St. Andrew's branch of the Woman's Auxiliary was held on Friday, February 26, at the home of Mrs. Douglas Fox.

Twelve members were present. The minutes of the last meeting were read and confirmed. The secretary read a board meeting report from the representative of the branch in Victoria.

Mrs. Collison also gave a most interesting and descriptive account of the Diocesan annual meeting.

Various projects were discussed for the furtherance of the work and met with approval.

It was decided to substitute a talent tea in place of the annual fete usually held on St. Andrew's Day and to hold the annual meeting the first week in December. Mrs. Brock was asked to undertake the duties of librarian in place of Mrs. Hunt.

A standing vote of sympathy was passed for two of the members who had family bereavement.

The meeting closed with the singing of the doxology. Tea was served by the hostess and Mrs. H. Norie.

Chemainus Personals

CHEMAINUS, March 1.—Mrs. John Long entertained at a very enjoyable tea on Wednesday, her guests including Mrs. J. Adam, Mrs. Koch, Mrs. Dallas Skillen, Mrs. Nigel Scott, Miss Doris Cathcart and Miss Hazel Cathcart.

Mrs. Grosscup, who has been the the guest of her sister, Mrs. Koch, has returned to her home in Virginia.

Miss B. M. Streethers has returned to Thetis Island, after visiting in Victoria.

Mr. Howard Parker, of Kuper Island, is spending a few days in Victoria.

Miss Grace Kerr, of Ladysmith, was the guest of Miss Mary Wyllie during the week-end.

United Farmers Hold Entertainment At Speedway Hall

LADYSMITH, March 1.—The special annual invitation card party and social under the auspices of the United Farmers' Association was held in the Speedway Community Hall, Cedar district, on Friday evening. It was a most enjoyable affair. The hall was filled to its capacity. The feature of the evening was a special effort being made by the committee to increase the membership of the organization, in which they were most successful. The entertainments held in the Speedway Hall have been very popular, and a most social spirit exists among those residing in the district. Twenty-five tables were occupied by enthusiastic whist players, who contested each game very keenly. Other members of the party took part in numerous other games, also in the musical programme, in which each number was ably rendered. The ladies served dainty refreshments, after which the lovers of the fantastic enjoyed a few of the most popular dances, and a jolly time was brought to a close in the small hours.

Is Restrained From Publishing His Book

MR. FRED SEXSMITH

Past county grand master of Lennox and Addington, Ontario, L.O.L., who has been restrained by a court order from publishing his book, "Orangeism Unfolded," which purports to reveal the ritual and secrets of the Orange Order.

North Saanich Social Club Holds Meeting

NORTH SAANICH, March 1.—The regular weekly meeting of the North Saanich Club was held in the clubrooms, School Cross Road, on Saturday. Eleven tables of progressive five hundred were in play, the prizes being won by Mrs. G. McLean and Mr. G. Sangster. At the conclusion of the card game dainty refreshments were served by Mrs. Wilkinson, Mrs. Toomer, and the Misses Adelaide Toomer, Currie Williams and Gladys Ricketts. An enjoyable dance concluded the evening, excellent music being furnished by the club orchestra. Arrangements are being made for the big dance to be held in Berquist Hall, on St. Patrick's Day, March 17, under the auspices of the North Saanich Social Club. An excellent orchestra has been engaged, and a very successful dance is anticipated.

Return Home

COWICHAN STATION, March 1.—Mr. and Mrs. Jervais-Waldy and Miss Waldy have returned to their home at Cowichan Bay after spending the Winter months at the James Bay Hotel.

FIREMEN CALLED TO GRETEX SHINGLE MILL

Port Alberni Department Controls Outbreak—Another Small Fire Is Checked

PORT ALBERNI, March 1.—The fire brigade was called to a fire at the Gretex Shingle Company's mill on Friday night, and succeeded in putting out the blaze before any serious damage was done.

On Saturday night the brigade was again called out to extinguish a blaze at the shack of Harold Haines and Clifford Lee. The fire was caused by a defective stove pipe.

The first whist drive of the series was held by the Moose Lodge on Saturday evening. Prizes were won by Mrs. R. Hanna (first), Mrs. MacMinn (consolation), Mr R. Saunders (first), Mr. MacMillan (consolation).

LADYSMITH KNIGHTS KEEP ANNIVERSARY

Arrangements for Agricultural Fair Are Taken in Hand With Vigor—Athletic Field Day Planned

LADYSMITH, March 1.—Mr. Henry Roberts, who recently disposed of his grocery business to Mr. Cauldwell, of Keating, left today on an extended trip to England. He is traveling via the Panama Canal.

The members of the order of the Knights of Pythias celebrated the sixty-third anniversary of Lodge No. 2 by holding a dance in the Agricultural Hall on Friday evening. Great credit is due to the committee for the elaborate preparations made.

A most enthusiastic executive meeting of the Ladysmith Agricultural Society was held recently, when it was decided that a Fall fair would be held in Ladysmith in September. In addition to the exhibition, a field day of athletic sports and various other amusements would comprise the programme of the second day, and would conclude with a good get-together dance and social in the evening. Much important business was transacted, and it is anticipated that the exhibit will exceed any of those previously held.

A jazz dance will be held in Agricultural Hall on March 3. Hunt's Victoria Orchestra will furnish the music.

The Ladysmith Amateur Dramatic Club hopes to stage another play in the Rialto Theatre at an early date, entitled, "The Path Over the Hill." The local theatrical talent has a high reputation, and good support is almost assured.

The members of the A. and N. Club will hold a smoking concert and social in their clubrooms on March 6. The committee has prepared a most attractive programme, to commence at 7:30 o'clock.

Makes Presentation

NANAIMO, March 1.—Mr. Jack McColl, a prominent member of the Granby Football Club, and who is leaving the district for the North, was the recipient of a surprise party on Thursday evening, when the members of the club gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. P. McColl, Cassidy, and spent a most enjoyable evening, during the course of which Mr. R. Howarth, president, on behalf of the club presented Mr. McColl with a gold watch chain, the recipient suitably replying. On Wednesday evening Mr. and Mrs. J. P. McColl entertained 150 friends at a farewell party and dance given Jack in the Cassidy Hall. Mr. McColl left for the North, where he expects to spend the Summer.

Is Elected President of Architectural Institute

MR. JAMES P. HYNES

Toronto, who was elected president of the Royal Architectural Institute of Canada at the annual general meeting in Montreal.

James Island Personals

JAMES ISLAND, March 1.—Mrs. McNaughton held a small birthday party in honor of her daughter Audrey on Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Smillie and children have left the Island and intend to make their home in Victoria.

On Thursday afternoon Mrs. W. Rivers held a most enjoyable bridge tea, the occasion being her birthday. The guests were Miss Allen, Miss H. Reed, Mrs. J. Biller, Mrs. S. E. Beadley, Mrs. A. J. Dakin, Mrs. N. Ganner, Mrs. C. W. Holland, Mrs. R. H. Lyons, Mrs. D. A. McNaughton, Mrs. F. Noakes, Mrs. A. J. Peirce, Mrs. E. Rivers, Mrs. G. Richards, Mrs. F. Sherwood, Mrs. W. Thatcher, Mrs. J. W. Van Norman, Mrs. T. Whalem and Mrs. W. Yeamans, the prizes being won by Mrs. J. Biller and Mrs. W. Yeamans.

Mrs. T. Cullin, of Victoria, is the guest of Mrs. W. Millsted.

Mr. E. Bloor has returned to his home in Victoria after being the guest of his sister, Mrs. W. Holland.

On Friday afternoon Miss Allen and Mrs. J. Biller entertained with three tables of bridge. The guests were: Mrs. Beadley, Mrs. A. J. Dakin, Mrs. N. Ganner, Mrs. C. W. Holland, Mrs. R. H. Lyons, Mrs. D. A. McNaughton, Mrs. F. Noakes, Mrs. A. J. Peirce, Mrs. W. Rivers, Mrs. G. Richards, Mrs. W. Thatcher, Mrs. J. W. Van Norman and Mrs. T. Whalen. The prizes were won by Mrs. S. Richards and Mrs. N. Ganner.

At the Wednesday whist drive the prize winners were: First, Mrs. N. Ganner and Mr. T. McWhinney; consolations, Mrs. Peirce and Mr. G. Richards.

Hall Committee Meets

COWICHAN STATION, March 1.—The annual general meeting of the C.A.A.C. Hall was held on Wednesday night in the bridge room. There was a fair attendance.

A statement of accounts was submitted, but as the books were not completed and audited in time for the meeting, it was decided to allow them to stand over until they were balanced and audited, when they would be brought before a special meeting, to be called at an early date.

The appointment of directors was proceeded with, and the following were elected: Messrs. J. Reade, Averill, May, Stewart, Knockber, Prichard, King, Captain Hunt, and Mrs. Stewart. After some further business was discussed, the meeting adjourned.

A directors' meeting was held immediately afterwards, at which Captain Hunt was appointed president, Mr. Joseph Reade vice-president and Mr. C. G. King secretary-treasurer.

Women's Auxiliary At Parksville Meets

PARKSVILLE, B.C., March 1.—Thirteen members of the Women's Auxiliary were present at the meeting held on Friday afternoon. After prayers and ordinary business routine, a discussion took place as to the work to be undertaken for the coming year. It was decided to pay off part of the debt on the parish hall, with six months' interest, amounting to $109. Another objective is to raise $100 towards parish expenses, and, if possible, to pay off the remainder of the debt on the hall. A motion was carried that a tenth of the takings should be sent to the Diocesan W.A. at the end of the year.

A Doreas committee was formed, consisting of Mrs. Roscoe, Mrs. Dixon-Nuttal and Mrs. A. Wilson. Mrs. Leakey served a delightful tea. Before the meeting adjourned a discussion took place as to the desirability of continuing the afternoon teas at the fortnightly meetings. The majority were in favor of discontinuing the tea.

Mr. R. H. Hodgson, of the Stonehurst Lumber Co., has left for a few days at Vancouver on business.

Mr. T. Hick, of the Government Liquor Control Board, was in Parksville on Wednesday on business.

Miss Applewaite left on Saturday for Departure Bay, where she will spend the week-end visiting friends.

Mr. R. Lee, of the Liquor Control Board, was in town during the week on business.

Customs Duties

NANAIMO, March 1.—Nanaimo customs duties during the month of February totalled $9,240.43, made up as follows: Import duties, $3,347.48; excise taxes, $5,639.90; excise duties, $119.05; sundry collections, $134.

Salt Spring Personals

SALT SPRING ISLAND, March 1.—Miss Ida Beech arrived on Wednesday at Ganges, where she is the guest of her brother, Mr. Percy Beech, for a week or two.

Captain and Mrs. J. Mitchell, of Ganges, have returned home, after a few days' visit to Victoria.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Walker, of Pender Island, arrived on Friday at Ganges, where they are guests for a few days of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Scott.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Carl Seymour on the birth of a son last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Smith, of Ganges, accompanied by their son, left on Monday for Victoria and Courtenay. They will be guests for a few days of Mr. and Mrs. W. Scott Ritchie.

Mr. Frank L. Crofton, of Ganges, arrived home on Tuesday, after a week's visit to Victoria. Mrs. Crofton has also been visiting there for a day or two.

Miss Eileen Beadnell left Ganges on Monday for Victoria, where she will be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. Biscoe, and afterwards of her father at Union Bay.

Mr. and Mrs. Kennedy and their daughter from Cuchean Cove, are week-end guests at Harbor House, Ganges.

Captain V. C. Best and Mrs. Best, of Ganges, left on Monday for a short visit to Victoria.

Boy Scouts Inspection

WILLIAM HEAD, March 1.—On Saturday afternoon, Mr. Ravenhill, Commissioner of Boy Scouts, inspected the Metchosin and William Head Cub pack. There was a good turnout, nine boys answering the role. After the inspection, Miss Dunn, former cub mistress of the pack, took charge of the games. In addition to the usual cub instruction, under the cubmaster, Rev. H. Bolton, the boys are receiving instruction from several members of the Quarantine staff. From Dr. Brown, first aid; from Captain Robertson, compass and navigation, and from Mr. Gibson, signalling.

At the close of the afternoon, tea was kindly provided by Dr. and Mrs. Brown.

H. B. Co. Manager Dies

SASKATOON, March 1.—C. H. Fair, manager of the Hudson's Bay Store since October, 1923, died here suddenly yesterday at the age of fifty-two.

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